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Directors' Meeting

The M.S.A.D. 44 Board of Directors held a meeting at the Andover Elementary School on Monday evening of this week.

Following a presentation by Phil Rea, architect, concerning the current status of the proposed building project at Woodstock, the Board expressed their approval of the building concept.

Authorization was granted to permit the expenditure of $4,548.08 in fiscal year 1982 funds to repair a portion of Telstar Auditorium roof.

The Superintendent was authorized to transfer a total of $39,450 in fiscal year 1982 funds from the Maintenance and Operations Account to cover projected overdrafts in the following accounts: Administration, $3,300; Instruction,

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WOODSTOCK HEARING FAVORS CONCEPT OF NEW SCHOOL

An informational public hearing concerning a proposed new elementary school in Woodstock was held Wednesday evening. In a straw vote it was found that 27 favored the concept of the proposed school on a Rumford Avenue site, while nine opposed it. Approximately 40 attended the hearing at the Woodstock Gymnasium.

BLOOD DONATIONS NEEDED

For any person over 17 years old who is in good health, weighs over 110 pounds and has never had hepatitis, donating blood is a generous and satisfying act.

Your single blood donation, which is less than one pint, can help many different people. Donations can be separated into four different components—red cells, which may be used to treat anemia; white cells, which fight infection in your body; plasma, which may be used to treat shock and burn victims; and platelets, which are often transferred to people who have leukemia. These are some of the uses for blood components.

Blood donation is simple, quick and gratifying. Your body contains eight to 12 pints of blood and the blood you give begins to replace itself immediately. You may safely donate blood every eight weeks, up to five times a year.

There will be a Red Cross bloodmobile at the Congregational Church in Bethel from 2 to 7 on July 13.

CHRETIEN ORDAINED METHODIST DEACON AT FARMINGTON SERVICES

Rev. and Mrs. Randall Chretien of Brewer attended the annual Methodist Conference at University of Maine in Farmington last week. On Sunday Randy was one of eight to be ordained Deacon of the United Methodist Church. The ordination services were held at the Old South Congregational Church in Farmington and were presided over by Bishop George W. Bashore.

Rev. Millett Cumming, pastor of the Bethel United Methodist Church stood with Randy during the ordination service.

Rev. Chretien has been appointed Pastor of North Brewer, Eddington Methodist Church and lives in Brewer with his wife, Carolyn and two sons, Jeremy and Jeffrey. Friends and relatives from Bethel, South Paris, Gray, Livermore Falls, Bangor, and Brewer attended the services.

In other business during the four day conference, Rev. Cummings was appointed to the Bethel Church for another year.

BETHEL SUMMER PLAYGROUND OPENS!

This summer at the playground there are many exciting activities going on: for starters today (Thursday) is Friendship Day, for celebrating good times and good friends (they'll be enjoying watermelon, too!). Tomorrow (Friday), the week is crowned with a **Double Event:** Doll Carriage and Bike Parade for tots at 11 a. m. and Bike Rodeo for the older children at 1:30. Bring your bike.

Next week, Monday starts out with an UN-Birthday Party (they will be making ice cream); Tuesday, another afternoon visit to the Bethel Public Library; Wednesday, with the help of parent drivers, they are heading off to the Evans Notch Ranger District headquarters for a guided tour through their own nature trail. Incidently, Smokey himself will be the tour-guide, with Woodsy along for "giving a hoot". After the visit, they'll be taking their lunches to the Gilead picnic area and will hike over for a look at the old gravesite at the end of the ½ mile long trail. Thursday are final preparations for the Friday morning theater presentation. Parents, grandparents, friends and relatives of playgrounders: mark your calendars for Friday, July 2, you won't want to miss this show at 10:30.

Does all this sound good to you? It is not too late to register to participate in any of it. Registration is required, and at the Bethel Town Office. The playground is at Crescent Park School and for youngsters entering grades K through 6. Come and join the fun!

FROM THE

bethel town office

Seek Decision on Road Grader At Special Town Meeting, June 29 —Telstar Auditorium, 7:30 p. m.

On June 14 the Board of Selectmen voted to recommend that taxpayers raise $77,913 from 1982 taxes to purchase a new road grader with a snow wing to replace the existing 24 year old grader purchased, used, by the Town in 1965. In related action, the Board set June 29 for the Special Town Meeting to act upon the grader question. (Warrant, pg. 2.)

The question of whether the grader issue could be deferred to 1983 March Town Meeting was thoroughly examined by the Board. While current economic conditions are gloomy, bankers and economists predict even higher interest rates and worse conditions within the next nine months. Finally, the warrant article approved by the voters at the 1982 Town Meeting specifies that the Board will examine all feasible alternatives and report recommendations at a Special Town Meeting.

"It was a difficult recommendation to make because of the dollar amount attached," said Chairman of the Board Peter Weeks, after the June 14 Board meeting. The decision was not unanimous. Board member Pat Dooen voted against the recommendation to purchase a new grader stating, "Because of the depressed economy in the Town of Bethel, I feel that an approximately 13% increase in the property tax, that would result from the grader purchase is out of line. Although the grader is needed eventually, I feel

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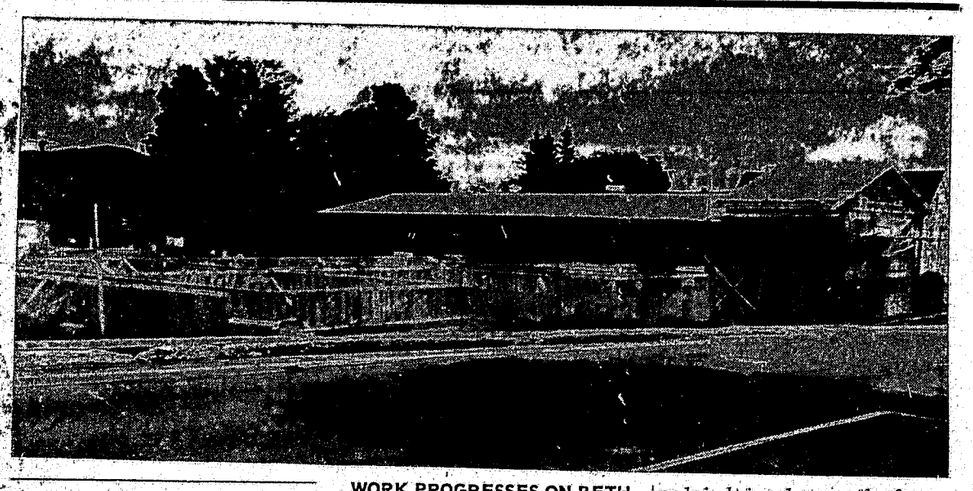
MEN'S SUMMER BASKETBALL LEAGUE TO START JUNE 27

Men's Summer Basketball League will begin play on Sunday night, June 27, at 6 o'clock. There are five teams in the league. The league will play two games a week on Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday nights. The first week's schedule is as follows:

Sunday: 6:00, Team 2 (Vern Davis) vs. Team 3 (Mark Kendall); 8:00, Team 1 (David Berry) vs. Team 5 (Andover).

Tuesday: 6:00, Team 2 vs. Team 5; 8:00 Team 1 vs. Team 4 (Barry Bodwell).

Thursday: 6:00, Team 3 vs. Team 4.



NTL Directors Meet at Broad Street Conference Center

The Board of Directors of NTL Institute met in Bethel on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week at their regular quarterly session. The NTL Conference Center on Broad Street was headquarters for the meeting.

Starting today (Thursday), approximately 75 professional members of NTL will be arriving in town for their annual membership meeting, June 24-27, the first such meeting to be held in Bethel. It is from this group that the staff are drawn for NTL's year-round programs. In Bethel this week, besides a full schedule of seminars and committee meetings, the plans call for a membership banquet at the NTL dining hall on Friday and a picnic at Step Falls on Saturday noon. A number of members are bringing spouses and children to join in some of the activities connected with the meeting.

On Monday, June 28, NTL Institute's 36th annual summer session in Bethel will be inaugurated Four different programs are scheduled for the first week end will draw approximately 100 participants and staff members. Over the course of the summer about 30 additional programs will be conducted by NTL in the general fields of human resource development and professional development. The 1982 season will close on Sunday, Aug. 22.

NTL is very pleased to continue its longstanding policy of offering to persons from Bethel and the surrounding area attendance at selected summer programs for a special reduced fee. For details, please phone 824-2151 or stop in at the NTL Office in Bingham Gym at Gould Academy.

WORK PROGRESSES ON BETHEL HOUSE — Work on the construction of the Bethel House (housing for the elderly) appeared as above the first of the week. The work is being done on the former Thunderbird Motel property by Everett N. Dobson & Sons of Falmouth for the developer, Dictar Associates of Portland.

Commission's Hearing Examiner Says Bryant Pond's Crank Phones Should Go

A Maine Public Utilities Commission hearing examiner recommends the conversion of the nation's sole remaining hand-crank magneto telephone system to a modern dial operation. That recommendation rejects pleas of at least 40 of the systems current subscribers who are desirous of retaining the old system.

Hearing Examiner Jane S. Bradley stated in a report to the Commission during the past week that Bryant Pond Telephone Company's request to modernize its equipment "constitutes a reasonable act".

The Bryant Pond Telephone Company, with its 434 subscribers, is now owned by the Oxford Telegraph and Telephone Company.

According to the hearing examiner, "an elimination of magneto systems has been regarded by telephone utilities as a necessary progression in providing to customers a level of service reflective of advancement in telecommunications technology."

Ms. Bradley said the personal services provided by the Bryant Pond operators are "added conveniences. Without them, under a dial system, Bryant Pond customers will still receive a level of telephone service which meets essential communication needs."

The Public Utilities Commission is to consider the examiner's report on Friday of this week at 2:30 p. m. Historically such reports are generally followed by the PUC.

BETHEL HISTORICAL SOCIETY TO MEET WITH WATERFORD SOCIETY THURSDAY, JULY 1

The next monthly meeting of the Bethel Historical Society will feature a joint meeting with the Waterford Historical Society at Waterford. As this will be the annual picnic meeting, all those wishing to attend should plan to leave the Moses Mason House at 5:30 p. m. in order to be present for the picnic scheduled for 6 p. m. Anyone attending should bring a picnic lunch with dessert and beverage furnished by the host group. Following the picnic a tour of the North Waterford Historical building will be featured as well as the museum at Waterford Flat also owned by the Waterford Historical Society. The picnic will be held at the North Waterford Historical Building and those attending are urged to park off the road in order to avoid creating a hazard. Inquiries should be directed to the Bethel Historical Society office at 824-2908.

MOLLYOCKETT DAY FIDDLERS' CONTEST

A new feature has been added to the annual Mollyockett Day program this year. The Bethel Lions Club has announced that it is sponsoring an old time fiddlers contest to take place at 7 p. m. on Saturday, July 17. Contestants are being sought for this event in which prizes of $100, $75 and $50 will be awarded to the top three. Contestants will be required to play a waltz, a jig or reel and a polka. Also a fancy trick fiddlers' contest will be held and prizes will be given. Each contestant may have two accompanists. A piano and PA system will be available.

The contest will be held on the Bethel Common. Anyone interested may call Eldon Greenleaf, Bethel 824-2100 or registrations will be accepted at the Lions Club Booth, July 17, on the Common. Rain date will be Sunday, July 18, same time and place.

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Locke Mills

— Mrs. John Mills, Corres. —

The town offers its sincerest sympathy to the family of Charles Day. A long time carpenter in town, Charlie was well liked in the area and will be missed.

The Greenwood Auxiliary held its regular meeting Friday evening at the Fire Station. Topics under discussion were the annual picnic coming up the last of August and the Senior Citizen dinner which will be August 5. The picnic dates were discussed briefly and then the topic was tabled until the July meeting. It was voted to inform the Woodstock Senior Citizen group that the Auxiliary would be willing to put on the dinner again this year. The meeting then centered on the annual flea market. It was voted to join the festivities planned by the Greenwood Historical Society as they requested, on July 31. The times will be 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Donations of odds and ends or food for the auxiliary table will be appreciated. Information about tables will be available in next week's Citizen. Ten members were present at the meeting.

A unique white fluted pie plate is still looking for its owner from town meeting dinner in March. Its decoration is distinctive which should make identification easy. If you are missing a pie plate please call Charlotte Kimball.

Margery Swan was multiple sclerosis chairman for this area. Volunteers have been working last week and this week to canvass the town. Envelopes were left for those who were not at home to use and send donations directly to the main office. Your donation is appreciated. Volunteers are: East Bethel Road, Charlotte Kimball; Main Street, Sandra Swan; Gore Road and Ledgeview Lane, Lee-Ann Coolidge; Knoll, Esther Fuller; Lower Howe Hill, Vera Cross; Bennett Road, Denise Swan; Upper Howe Hill, Leatrice Chase; Greenwood Road, Katrina Roberts; Bird Hill and Upper Greenwood Road, Margery Swan. Monies are to be turned in by June 26.

Ladies Circle was held the 16th. Plans were finalized for the summer sale to be held July 23, 11 to 2:30 p. m. at the Sunday School room. Bea Burris conducted the devotions. There will be no July meeting due to the summer sale.

Last Thursday evening, June 17, Margery Swan and son, Todd, went to Berlin, N. H., to the Bass Shoe Company open house, with Jeff Swan, Bethel, who is employed there. There were guided tours in the afternoon with refreshments afterward. The tours were very interesting and each one was given souvenirs.

Gary H. Dunham graduated this spring summa cum laude (with highest honors) from Bowdoin College. He also distinguished himself by receiving high honors from the history department and by being elected to Phi Beta Kappa. Currently he has been hired by Bowdoin's archaeology department to assist in excavating an ancient Etruscan site in Murlo, Italy. When he returns in August he will be employed as a research assistant for Bowdoin's archaeology department.

Red Cross swimming lessons will be held week days, Aug. 2-20 at the Lake Christopher public beach in Bryant Pond. Greenwood children entering Kindergarten in the fall and all older students may participate. As in the past, children from East Bethel and Route 26 may register through Greenwood but a small fee will be charged to non-residents. Forms are in the town office and must be filled out by July 9.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills were in Rumford Tuesday where Mrs. Mills had her eyes checked. They enjoyed eating supper at a Rumford restaurant.

There will be a church supper July 10. More about that later. There also will be an auction held at the church this summer. Donations will be needed for this so please keep it in mind.

The Ekco Wood Products plant will be down for vacation starting June 26 for two weeks. There will be inventory and maintenance crews working during this two week period. The plant will resume operations July 13.

There will be a day at the beach for all Cub Scouts and their families on Saturday, June 26 at Abbott's Anchorage. All are to meet at the beach at 11 a. m.

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

To Robert Stearns, Constable of the Town of Bethel, in the County of Oxford and State of Maine.

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the voters of the Town of Bethel in said County and State, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet at the Telstar Regional High School Auditorium on **Tuesday the 29th of June A.D., 1982** at 7:30 p. m. in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles to wit:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To see what action the voters will take concerning the road grader.

The Board of Selectmen recommends the purchase of a Galion A-500, for the purchase price of $69,149.00 with a snow wing for the purchase price of $8,764.00 for a total of $77,913.00. Funds to be raised and appropriated from 1982 taxes.

The Budget Committee makes no recommendation.

The Selectmen hereby give notice that the Registrar of Voters will be in session in the Town Office from 8:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. Monday-Friday to accept new registrations and correct the list of voters.

Given under our hands at Bethel, Maine, this 18th day of June A.D., 1982.

Peter Weeks
Patricia C. Dooen
Arlan R. Jodrey
Peter T. Haines
Board of Selectmen
Town of Bethel

Magalloway & WILSON'S MILLS

— Alice Harvey, Corres. —

Jutt and Karen Clohosey and girls of Rumford visited with Mark and Alice on Monday.

Isabelle Bryant and Ilsa McGinley took Helen Hart to the doctor in Colebrook for a check up on Tuesday.

Bertha West has returned to her home in Wilson's Mills for the summer after spending the winter and spring months with her daughter, Flossie Balsar in Milan.

The children are enjoying their summer vacation from school.

Isabelle Bryant and Isa McGinley took Robert, Clifford and Elizabeth Glover and Cindy Bragg to Rangeley to see "Fiddle on the Roof" on Friday evening.

Brian Fisher of Colebrook is spending several weeks with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Howard, at their home in Magalloway.

Mark and Alice were at their camp on Umbagog Lake over the week end.

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North Paris

— Eveline B. Vatcher, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Cordwell have returned to their home here. They have been in Phoenix, Ariz., since October, 1981. Welcome home neighbors, and have a good summer.

Mrs. Evelyn Chamberlain was taken by Tri-Town ambulance to Maine Medical Center, Portland, June 14. Her husband has been a patient there and I am not certain if he has returned home yet or not. Evelyn felt a bit better and was removed from I. C. U. on Thursday. Our best wishes to them both.

Community Club meeting will be held July 7 at 7 p. m. at the hall. The committees were working at the hall this week preparing for the supper, June 26, 5 p. m.

Joe Vatcher doen't even feel like a gentleman farmer now, as he has only one lone white chick, two baby ducks and two year old drakes. The Mother Duck and her nest of eggs disappeared so he put the two ducklings in one half of the dog kennel and the dogs didn't like that.

Doris Lawrence, Laura and Joe Kalinowski went to the Oxford Grange supper in Welchville. After supper they went to Mechanic Falls and called on Mrs. Helen Emery and her daughter, Rachel Boston. They came back to the Grange Hall for the dance. There was good music by Richard Felt, Elden "Put" Hathaway of Bryant Pond and others. Sunday evening they went to the Finnish Congregational Church at West Paris to hear the Northern Lights and they enjoyed the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Card of Norway joined them.

Many from our hamlet attended the fried clam supper at the West Paris Grange Hall June 19, sponsored by Tri Town Ambulance, and they had a full house.

Callers at Lawrences: Lloyd Huntley, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Abbott and Jo-Anne, the Vatchers, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Card, and great granddaughter, Danielle Wadsworth, Mrs. Lena Kangas and she took her pictures of her recent six weeks trip to Golden, Colo., to visit her daughter, Sandra Abbott and grandson, Bobby Faulkenham. Bobby graduated this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Vatcher and three children, Lynn, Mass., came to the home of his mother, Mrs. Harold Vatcher, for a few days vacation.

Silva Biron was taken by Tri Town Ambulance Saturday morning to the Norway hospital.

The Abbotts called on the Vatchers also Clyde Knights and the Kenneth Vatcher family.

Joe and Eveline Vatcher went to Gilford, N. H., Sunday to visit Joe's niece and husband, and two sons. They saw as many as 500 motorcycles, all colors and all styles and many Troopers. They stopped at Story Land and watched the children.

ADVANCED FIRST AID GRADUATES, Bryant Pond — First row (left to right), Carl Verrill, Vance Bacon, Greg MacKillop, Harold Verrill, and Howard Bailey. Second row (left to right), Jerry Hefley, Helen Manjourides, Thelma Hooper, Wanda Johnson, Nancy MacKillop, and instructor Terri Dunham. —J. Chandler Photo

T.T.A.E.R.S. News

(Tri-Town Ambulance & Emergency Rescue Service)

Tri Town Auxiliary had a good turnout at its fried clam dinner, Saturday evening. Thanks to everyone who helped out with donations of food and by working.

The following people passed their Advanced First Aid final examination. Congratulations to Wanda Johnson, Helen Manjouridis, Jerry Hefley, Howard Bailey, Carl Verrill, Harold Verrill, Vance Bacon, Thelma Hooper, Greg MacKillop and Nancy MacKillop. The state final test, with licensing for ambulance attendants is Monday night, June 28, at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway.

The summer is here. Remember not to overdo in the gardens or with outdoor work, especially if you really aren't in condition. The best exercise is not sudden exertion, but gradual movements. If you do need the ambulance, it is available to residents at no charge. Call 1+I.D. No.+800-482-7433.

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Greenwood City

— Mrs. Colista Morgan, Corres. —

When I awoke this morning, the sun was not up, but all nature was rejoicing The bird chorus was fascinating. It continued until 5:30 then began to wane. These songs were the same songs, that have sung in my heart, since the first heart sang.

As James Whitcomb Riley put it, "We are knee deep in June." It's a wonderful time to be alive, a time of richness, a time when summer is at its best.

Through the whole day the barn swallows swoop and circle, climb and dive.

By afternoon I decided to climb to my favorite spot, my look-out at the top of the hill at the farm. I took my dish to have handy if the wild strawberries were ripe.

As I walked the cart-road, an access to the many hay-fields for as many years as I remember, and in fact as many years as the farm has existed; I stood knee-deep in clover for the haying here had not yet started.

Part way up the hill I glanced down and saw a four-leaf clover. I stooped to pick it and saw another and another until my count was twelve! I at once thought of Ella Higginson's poem, which I learned many years ago. The first verse starts, "I know a place where the sun is like gold—" The third and last verse goes, "But you must have hope, you must have faith,/You must love and be strong, and so/if you wait, you will find the place/where the four-leaf clovers grow."

What big and colorful blossoms they have this year. On my way back I picked a few.

From fence posts and rocks, as well as swaying on the tall grasses the Bob-o-links sang of all the Junes that ever were. I loved it all. I climbed on, turning occasionally to gaze at the rims of the mountains. There is something about them that is engraved upon me and my emotions forever. I always turn back to them again and again.

But now I hastened on to get my berries. Where a few weeks ago there was a profusion of white flowers and golden centers, now the tiny fruits were deep crimson in color. I filled my dish then turned homeward anticipating a hot biscuit covered with these berries and some cream.

On every side stood daisies, buttercups and clover. Bees were making humming music as they darted from flower to flower. Many were the fat, black and gold bumble bees which look as if they should not be able to fly but do. They, were noisy as usual; hummers and bumblers, but part of a June day.

Butterfly wings led me down the hill, especially the bright forms of the Tiger Swallowtails. They, too, were visiting the flowers.

All these things were a summary of every June that I remember, a time that was, is, and will be forever.

Everything that now grows is luxuriant, beautiful, and abundant.

June is high noon in Nature's world.

The day drew to a close and the sun dipped from sight, the long quiet dusk brought its own beauty. The night's curtain closed slowly and the sleepy calls of the robin sounded in the semi darkness with the haunting lonesome call of the dove.

Tomorrow will start a new beginning.

—

David and Sally Holt, Dexter; Ann Holt, Bethel, were at their parents' home here on Sunday.

My week was a very busy one; I had appointments with my doctor and dentist, called on Carl and Lettie Brooks, West Paris, went to the library in Norway, visited Ernest and Ina Mundt in Bethel, had a boat trip, went strawberrying.

Verna Libby, Falmouth, was with her sister, Doris Hayes, for a few days. Ardell and Betty Hayes, Auburn, visited on Saturday also Duane Hayes and children.

Irene Stevens has been a patient at C.M.M.C. in Lewiston for several days.

Frank and Dot Curtis had as callers this week: Regina Leeper, North Kingstown, R. I., and a friend, Barbara Allan, Frederick Stanley, Bethel; Donald Bowman, Canton; Mildred Bowman, Hebron.

Lucy Bragg, West Sumner, visited her mother, Eva Felton and sister, Kathy Curtis, on Saturday.

Pat and Zilpha DiArenzo are expected to arrive at their home here this week from Springfield, Pa.

West Greenwood

— Carolyn M. Colby, Corres. —

Robbie Harrington, stationed in Frankfort, Germany, telephoned Ray and Janice Harrington and boys on Sunday.

Leah Deegan and Florence Beck, Randolph, N. H., arrived home on June 14, from a week in Aspen, Colo. They attended the wedding of Florence's daughter.

Marion Soule, Palermo, spent the week end with Leah and Joe Deegan. They went to the dance recital which Koral Smith was in.

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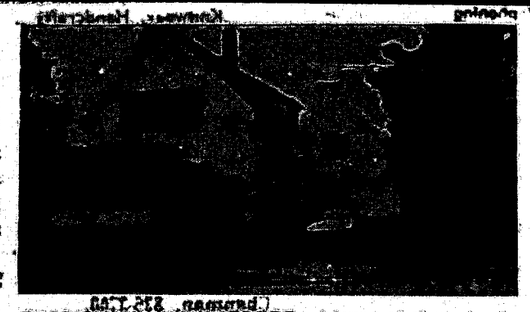

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lyn M. Colby, Corres.

e Harrington, stationed in nt, Germany, telephoned l Janice Harrington and Sunday.

Deegan and Florence Beck, h, N. H., arrived home on , from a week in Aspen, ney attended the wedding nce's daughter.

n Soule, Palermo, spent k end with Leah and Joe They went to the dance which Koral Smith was in.

every June that I remem- ime that was, is, and will ver.

thing that now grows is t, beautiful, and abundant. is high noon in Nature's

ay drew to a close and the ped from sight, the long sk brought its own beauty. ht's curtain closed slowly sleepy calls of the robin in the semi darkness with nting lonesome call of the

rrow will start a new be-

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l and Sally Holt, Dexter; olt, Bethel, were at their home here on Sunday. eek was a very busy one; appointments with my doc- dentist, called on Carl and Brooks, West Paris, went library in Norway, visited and Ina Mundt in Bethel, oat trip, went strawberry-

a Libby, Falmouth, was r sister, Doris Hayes, for a ys. Ardell and Betty Hayes, , visited on Saturday also Hayes and children.

Stevens has been a patient M.C. in Lewiston for sev- ys.

k and Dot Curtis had as this week: Regina Leeper, Kingstown, R. I., and a Barbara Allan, Frederick , Bethel; Donald Bowman, ; Mildred Bowman, Hebron, Bragg, West Sumner, visit- mother, Eva Felton and sis- thy Curtis, on Saturday. nd Zilpha DiArenzo are ex- to arrive at their home his week from Springfield,

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THIS WEEK AT

Ethel Bisbee School

At the final Ethel Bisbee School Assembly on Friday, June 18, the following children received certificates for their birthdays in June or July: Sheila Douglass, Lucas Gray, Danny Barker, Tina Coolidge, Melissa Howe, Jeri Carmen, Dawn Eliot, Kelly Harrington, Francis Corriveau, Sara Mitchell, Venus Hill, Christina Haines, Carter Davidson, Stephanie Corriveau, Patrick Harrington, Matthew Arsenault and Jennifer Adams.

Mrs. McCluskey presented Reading Awards to children who read many extra books: Betty Coolidge, Sara Mitchell, Christina Haines, Andy Aron, Jason Standeven, Joel Mills, Toby Leighton, Stephanie Corriveau, Carter Davidson and Holly Walega.

Mrs. Gaudreau gave awards to David Barnes and Bekka Kuzyk, for reaching their goal of decoding 100 words in five minutes.

Miss Andre presented "A Very Good Year" awards to George Howard Jr., Andy Aron, Christina Haines, Tony Hart, Toni Patten, Jennifer Boyce, Darcy Moffett and Ryan Wheeler.

Perfect attendance for the Fourth Quarter Awards were earned by Terri-Ann Applin, Tracy Bachelder, Frederick Burk and Billie-Joe Robinson (Mrs. Gould); Peter Howard, Melissa Howe, Jaime Lapham, Esther Morin, Darren Reynolds, Lloyd Sweetser, Daniel Westleigh, James Bonney, Sara Coolidge, Adam Hart, Misty Hutchins, Jamie Lewis, Angie Mills and Cherilyn Myers (Mrs. Gallant); Betty Ann Coolidge, Noelle Gauthier, Christina Haines, Faye Luxton, Steven Remington, and Andrew Aron (Mrs. McCluskey); David Barnes, Amos Fox, Kelly Harrington, Heather Keniston, Shellie Swan and Nathan Buffington (Mrs. Gaudreau); Tommy Greene, Dawn Seames, Angela Wheeler and Anna Buffington (Miss Andre); Danielle Gordon, Lawrence Grover, David Hanscom, Nicole Hill, Shilo Hutchins, and Amanda Wight (Mrs. Davis).

Certificates and gifts for Perfect Attendance for the Year were given to Melissa Howe, Heather Keniston, Nathan Buffington and Shilo Hutchins.

Mrs. Davis presented awards to Molly Gray, Matthew Arsenault, Derek Brown and Patrick Harrington.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE—Melissa Howe, Nathan Buffington, Shilo Hutchins and Heather Keniston received Perfect Attendance for the Year Awards and gifts at the final Ethel Bisbee School Assembly on Friday, June 18.

Middle Dam, Maine

Brenda Irish, Corres.

The lodge's house guests were Fred and Pat Martineau, Rumford, and daughter, Rachel, for the week.

The Dam family's Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Scott, Windham. Our outing this week was to Blackcat Dike where Dean and Danny Irish and myself had a picnic.

Denise Bodemer has brought her horse and goat into Middle Dam for the summer. Denise is a waitress at Lakewood Camps.

On my school run out the South Arm Road I saw four moose last week. What a sight to see.

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ANDOVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

This is the list of winners of the Field Day events of the Andover Elementary School which was held June 11 and the Awarding of Ribbons given at Class Night on June 18 at the Elementary Gym.

Basketball Foul Shot: 1st, Robbie Shields, grade 6.

Egg Toss: 1st, Xandy Morton and Bobbi Lynn Littlehale, grade 6.

Jelly Bean Award: 1st, Mike Dixon, grade 6.

Spelling Bee Award: Danny Thurston, grade 6.

Special Achievement Award, All A's: Danny Thurston, grade 6.

Kindergarten Field Day: Sack Race—1st, Robin Palmer; 2nd, Kelly Cronin; 3rd, Jessica Freeman. 3-Legged Race—1st, Kelly Cronin and Jessica Freeman; 2nd, Robin Palmer and Allison Milligan; 3rd, Peter Peare and R. J. Farrington. Wheelbarrow Race — 1st, Keith Smith and Peter Peare; 2nd, Jessica Freeman and Kelly Cronin; 3rd, P. J. Farrington and Robin Palmer. Running Race—1st, Keith Smith; 2nd, Robin Palmer; 3rd, Jessica Freeman. Potato Race —1st, Kelly Cronin; 2nd, Jessica Freeman; 3rd, P. J. Farrington, Robin Palmer. Bean Bag Toss — 1st, Peter Peare; 2nd, Keith Smith; 3rd, P. J. Farrington. Best Sport Award—1st, Eric St. Cyr.

Carol Stuart: Sack Race — 1st, Nathan Emery; 2nd, Jennifer Percival; 3rd, Andy Hutchins; 3 Legged Race—1st, Lorie Huston and Alice Huston; 2nd, Sarah Delepine and Chad Bishop; 3rd, Jon Thurston and Dean Irish. Wheelbarrow Race—1st Jon Thurston and Dean Irish; 2nd, Chad Bishop and Kevin Morton; 3rd, Danny Irish and Aaron Milligan. Running Race — 1st, Dean Irish; 2nd, Jon Thurston; 3rd, Chad Bishop. Potato Race —1st, Chad Bishop; 2nd, Sarah Delepine; 3rd, Bobby Graham. Bean Bag Toss—1st, Jon Thurston; 2nd, Danny Irish; 3nd, Kevin Morton.

Second Grade: Sack Race—3rd, Apryl Yates; 2nd, Tommy Morton; 1st, Jason Cole. 3 Legged Race—3rd, Ben McIntyre and Michael Emerson; 2nd, Jeff Bailey and Robin Michaud; 1st, Kristen Delano and Jennie Bailey. Wheelbarrow Race — 3rd, Scott, Spaulding and David Smith; 2rd, Jennie Bailey and Apryl Yates; 1st, Jason Cole and Jeff Thurston. Running Race—3rd, Apryl Yates; 2nd, Todd Snyder; 1st, Kristen Delano. Potato Race—3rd, Jeff Thurston, 2nd, David Bishop; 1st, Todd Snyder. Bean Bag Toss—3rd, David Bishop; 2nd, Todd Snyder; 1st, Jeff Thurston.

Broad Jump: 3rd Grade—Girls—Yvette Jones, 3rd; Vicki Hutchins, 2nd; Christina Gammon, 1st. Boys — Christian Hutchins; 3rd, Scott Emery, 2nd; George Casivant, 1st. 4th Grade—Girls—Tracy Weston, 3rd; November Yates, 2nd; Kristi Clement, 1st. Boys — Brian Chase, 3rd; Nathan Miserocchi 2nd; Teague Berry, 1st. 5th Grade —Girls—Brenda Taylor, 3rd; Jennifer Hutchins, 2nd; Paula Michaud, 1st. Boys—Gary Williamson, 3rd; Ricky Gilks, 2nd; Wayne Wardwell, 1st. 6th Grade—Girls—April Cole, 3rd; Nancy Miller, 2nd; Valari Morton, 1st. Boys—Ricky Mixer, 3rd; Delmer Parker, 2nd; Danny Thurston, 1st.

5 yd. dash: 3rd Grade—Girls—3rd, Yvette Jones; 2nd, Christina Gammon; 1st, Vickie Hutchins. Boys—3rd, Christian Hutchins; 2nd, George Casivant; 1st, Scott Emery. 4th Grade—Girls—3rd, Kristi Clement; 2nd, Betsy Morton; 1st, Tracy Weston. Boys — 3rd, Mike Miller; 2nd, Ellsworth Trundy; 1st, Teague Berry. 5th Grade—Girls—3rd, Brenda Taylor; 2nd, Lisa Jodrey; 1st, Jennifer Hutchins. Boys — 3rd, Grady Littlehale; 2nd, Wayne Wardwell; 1st, Gary Williamson. 6th Grade — Girls — 3rd, Bobby Lynn Littlehale; 2nd, Zandy Morton; 1st, Debbie Bodwell. Boys —3rd, Danny Thurston; 2nd, Jason Glover; 1st, Ricky Mixer.

Obstacle Course: Grade 3—Girls — 1st, Vicki Hutchins; 2nd, Christina Gammon; 3rd, Darline Wells. Boys—1st, Scott Emery; 2nd, Christian Hutchins; 3rd, George Casivant. Grade 4—Girls—1st, Tracy Weston; 2nd, Stephanie Percival; 3rd, Betsy Morton. Boys—1st, Teague Berry; 2nd, Ellsworth Trundy; 3rd, Nathan Miserocchi. Grade 5 — Girls — 1st, Jennifer Hutchins; 2nd, Buffy Taylor; 3rd, Lisa Jodrey. Boys—1st, Gary Williamson; 2nd, Ricky Gilks; 3rd, Wayne Wardwell. Grade 6—Girls—1st, Bobbi Lynn Littlehale; 2nd, Valari Morton; 3rd, Xandy Morton. Boys — 1st, Delmer Parker; 2nd, Ricky Mixer; 3rd, Jason Glover.

Softball Free Throw: Grade 3—Girls — 1st, Vicki Hutchins; 2nd, Christina Gammon; 3nd, Darline Wells. Boys — 1st, Scott Emery; 2nd, Christian Hutchins; 3rd, George Casivant. Grade 4—Girls—1st, Betsy Morton; 2nd, Amy Thurston; 3rd, November Yates. Boys—1st, Ellsworth Trundy; 2nd, Scott Chase; 3rd, Nathan Miserocchi. Grade 5—Girls—1st, Patti Jaros; 2nd, Buffy Taylor; 3rd, Brenda Taylor. Boys—1st, Wayne Wardwell; 2nd, Gary Williamson; 3rd, Ricky Gilks. Grade 6 — Girls—1st, Nancy Miller; 2nd, Valari Morton; 3rd Bobbi-Lynn Littlehale. Boys—1st Mace Gammon; 2nd, Ricky Mixer; 3rd, Jason Glover.

BROWNIE GIRL SCOUTS

The Bethel Brownie Girl Scouts are planning a trip to Santa's Village, Jefferson, N. H., on Saturday, June 26. They will leave at 9 a. m. sharp from the Bulldog Diner parking lot and return home at 6 p. m. Parents may get in touch with Dawn Brackett, Wilma Bean or Cindy Blake before Saturday morning if they need other information.

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E.B.S. CIRCUS — Clowns and animals perform at the Ethel Bisbee School Circus held recently on the school playground. Hundreds enjoyed the performance. Above, the children in Miss Andre's Kindergarten entertain the audience.

Sunday River

Jeannine Fleet, Corres.

Penny Fleet went to Lakewood Camps on Richardson Lake to work.

Wayne Roshto is attending Hoop Camp for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Yates attended a square dance outing this past week end.

Mrs. Barbara Yates recently called on her father at Andrews nursing home in South Paris.

Mrs. Mary Morin and Mrs. Jeannine Fleet were in Gorham, N. H., Saturday.

Alan Fleet caught a nice salmon last Saturday while fishing.

Sent in by Eva Yates:

The first day of summer and the usual cloudy Monday morning. The Go Shoes are off the hook and where they go no one knows. I wonder if other peoples garden seeds are as slow to show up as ours are. The price of seeds and the hard work and no plants don't do much for a fella's courage.

Tuesday p. m. I rode to Norway with Peggy — she took her car to the remedy shop—it has stubborn spells—and I rode to town one day. Other than that I didn't go until yesterday. Peggy took Joe and I and we went to Gilead and down the back side of the river to Bethel—then we went and called on the Raymond Buck's. He is just out of the hospital but feeling good.

We have had so much rain we were all feeling moldy but the sun yesterday kind of burnt the green mold off. Keep your rubber boots and your umbrella handy as it may rain more. Keep happy, winter's on its way.

Rusty Merrill was home for the week end and called on his grandmother, Peggy Blake, Saturday afternoon. He has work at Ogunquit for the summer. Peggy went to the Merrill's for supper Saturday night.

A phone call Sunday morning told me I had a new great granddaughter—Karen Arlie Adams arrived on the 4:15 Sunday morning—weighed in at 7 lbs, 1 oz. She is the daughter of Gregory and Frances Adams of Sweden, Maine. She has a brother Robert.

I read where Evelyn was at the Woodstock Alumni Banquet and she did not come speak to me. O. K. Evelyn, next time you need help or suggestions for trimming your Easter hood I shall not be available. I have a dirty disposition.

Peggy Blake had a deer doing a little wandering out by her camp Sunday morning. A pretty sight. People are seeing moose more and more.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Yates returned Sunday from a 10 day fishing trip with friends.

Mrs. Lina Reynolds of Florida called on Peggy Blake Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Yates were in Berlin, N. H., Monday.

John Belcher was on the river Monday night selling magazines.

Peggy Blake was in South Paris on business Tuesday afternoon and Go-Shoes went along for the ride.

Karl Nowlin called on Joe and Eva Yates Wednesday afternoon.

Peggy Blake, Joe and Eva Yates went to see Pinnochio Friday afternoon. My great granddaughter, Vanessa Yates took the part of Jiminy Cricket. For a small girl she has the gift for acting and did a wonderful job. She didn't have to be nudged—she knew when and where she was to join in and she did. It was a nice performance and a good crowd of proud parents, grandparents, etc.

CARD OF THANKS

Many thanks to the Bethel Rescue Unit for their prompt service, a special thank you to Arlene and Edie. The cards, phone calls and friends helped speed my recovery. God Bless.

Eva Perry.

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The monthly meeting was held on Sunday night. The members voted to buy a K.E.D. board for extrication. Also to order a new pager for a new member.

From now on the members of the Board of Directors will be making out the schedules. Please contact Albert Raymond if you are going on vacation from July 1 to Aug. 7, as he will be making up this one. Be sure to pick your's up at the Bus Garage.

The personality profile for this week is Jonathan Owen, better known as "Jon". He is the son of Mrs. Jean Owen and James Owen of Bethel, and lives on the Songo Pond Road. He has one sister. Jon is an E.M.T. and has been with the B.E.A.R.S. for nearly a year. He took over the secretary's position when Jean Ness moved. He graduated from Telstar this year. His future plans are indefinite at this time. A real possibility is a career in Paramedical Medicine at the New Hampshire Technical Institute or the University of Southern Maine in Liberal Arts. Whichever Jon chooses we wish him luck and know he'll succeed in whatever he attempts. Jon is a very serious and ambitious young man. His hobbies are skiing, horse back riding and drama. In the future he'd like to try luge (bobsledding) at the Olympics.

Safety Tip of the Week
—First Aid for Bruises

For badly bruised areas with swelling, apply cold packs to reduce the swelling. If an extremity (arm or leg) elevation will also help.

NOTE OF APPRECIATION

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stevens wish to express their deep appreciation and thanks to their family, relatives and friends for the memorable Golden Wedding party in their honor on Sunday, June 13. Also to those who remembered us with cards.

East Stoneham

Gladys Kilgore, Corres.

Mrs. Mary Grover was hostess to a silver tea at her home Tuesday for the benefit of the Norway hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gordon visited Mr. and Mrs. Daggett on Butters Hill one night last week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Pinkham of Boothbay and son, Matthew, visited her parents, the Dwight Grovers over the week end.

Walston Andrews went to South Paris with his grandson, Ernest, Thursday.

Mrs. Beth Jones took seven of the Daughters of Veterans to Portland Thursday to attend the Convention. Several from Norway joined them.

John Flynn, one of our Selectmen, is in the hospital at Bridgton, seriously ill.

Mrs. Frances Grant and her sister, Eleanor Nelson, went to the shopping center, South Paris, on Thursday.

The Father and Son Banquet was well attended Friday night. A roast beef supper was served. Mrs. Phyllis Millett was in charge of the affair.

Mrs. Dot Bell of Lovell is enjoying two weeks of vacation, so will not be in the Town Office Wednesdays for the two weeks.

West Paris

— Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Cram, Mrs. Audrey Hadley, Miss Carmen Hadley, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Bacon, Clyde Knights, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Chase, spent the week end camping at Winslow Park in Freeport.

Callers on Mrs. Lula Buck last week were Mrs. Frances Millett, Maude Millett, Stanley Belecki, Lewiston; Mrs. Reita Rowe, Millie Merrill, Ada Sawyer, Mechanic Falls; Mrs. Madlyn Herrick, South Paris; Mrs. Mary Billings, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Billings and girls.

Mrs. Miriam Inman, Mrs. Connie Bacon visited the John Betts in Portsmouth, N. H., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Chase, Chad and Ricky, attended a family reunion at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Young Jr., South Paris.

The "Pac Man" contest has come to a close at the West Paris Public Library. The winners found their prizes wtihin their pac men for they gobbled them up. The ones receiving the larger prizes: Jennie Ruokolainen, Angie Ruokolainen, Ricky Chase, Karen Eastman, Karen Ruokolainen, Darren Dillingham. Those receiving smaller prizes were Ryan Pratt, Heather Newton, Linda Patten, Tammy Patten, Robin Roy, Andrea Pratt, Dana Dillingham. Besides the winners those receiving certificates were: Saara Liimatta, Althea Stevens, Anthony Stevens, Misty Yates, Marie Herrick, Lee Ann Monelt, Kelly Stevens, Jonathan Kirchher, Adward Akers, Neil Biron, Michael Akers, Nina McLaughlin.

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STATE POLICE ADVISE ON VEHICLE INSPECTIONS

The state police advise motorists to make sure when they take their motor vehicle to be inspected it is done thoroughly for their own safety.

"Motorists who by law are supposed to have their vehicles inspected by a state licensed motor vehicle inspection station should make sure that the items required by law to be inspected are indeed inspected," said Colonel Allan H. Weeks, Chief of the Maine State Police.

The State Motor Vehicle Inspection fee of $3 covers the inspection only. Any required parts and labor necessary to correct inspection faults are extra.

Col. Weeks said Traffic & Safety Division officers are making a maximum effort in cooperation with licensed station owners and certified mechanics to make sure that motor vehicles are being inspected as required by law.

The Maine motor vehicle inspection includes: Brakes (including the emergency brake); Steering mechanism and suspension system (including tires and wheels); Exhaust system; Lights (including head, tail, directional, and rear plate lights, rear reflector, and headlight aim)—if headlight aim has to be adjusted, there may be an additional charge; Rust (especially frame rust, along with badly rusted and protruding metal edges); Mirrors, horn, window glass, and seat belts.

Washington Watch

by Olympia J. Snowe
Member of Congress
2nd District, Maine

Congress took a step toward accountability recently when the House voted to repeal controversial tax breaks granted to itself in 1961.

The tax credits raised a firestorm of criticism, both because of their substance and because of the means used to pass them in the House last December. The legislation authorizing the breaks was tacked onto a black-lung benefits bill, forcing House members to vote against the needed benefits if they disagreed with the tax breaks.

The manner in which the legislation was approved was embarrassing, particularly since the ploy fooled no one and since it did nothing to improve the image of Congress with the general public. In response to this action and other less-than-forthright tactics employed in recent times on issues such as pay raises and outside-income limits, I introduced legislation in January to require members to vote on the record on such matters in the future. Also, nongermane amendments concerning in-house fiscal matters would be prohibited from inclusion in other legislation.

In the meatime, the House acted wisely and overwhelmingly to recant the controversial tax breaks. By a 356-43 vote, the House agreed to instruct its conferees in a House-Senate conference on an urgent supplemental appropriations bill to repeal the tax breaks.

Congress deserved the criticism it received after approving the tax breaks. We were wrong to pass the credits, and the public was right to tell us so.

Small Business Aid: Small businesses are feeling the effect of the current recession at least as much as any other sector of the economy, and a proposed federal regulation on debt equity does not stand to help matters.

On June 30, a new regulation under Section 385 of the Internal Revenue Code will threaten small business' capital formation. The regulation provides that, in instances where an individual makes a loan to his business, under certain circumstances the loan will be reclassified as stock. Such a reclassification could force a small company to lose its interest deduction on loan repayments, potentially resulting in a dramatic reduction in the firm's cash flow.

The regulation also threatens investment in high technology and growth companies, which have been some of the most significant contributors to the nation's job force. Consequently, I have cosponsored legislation in the House to delay the effective date of the debt-ridden regulation from July 1, 1982 to July 1, 1984.

This delay would enable Congress to analyze the impact of the regulation on smaller firms. In such difficult economic times, it seems the least we could do for small businesses.

UMO Black Bears: Although I do not generally follow the news on the daily sports pages, I did take pride in the recent fourth place finish in the College World Series by my alma mater, the University of Maine at Orono Black Bears.

Baseball is known as a warm-weather sport, but the Black Bears have proven once again that superior performances are not limited to Sun Belt teams. The Bears racked up a 34-13 record this year in advancing in the finals at Omaha and left many warm-weather schools in their path.

Arrangements are now underway to set up a meeting between the Black Bears and Coach John Winkin with another well-known baseball fan — Vice President George Bush, a former first baseman on Yale's baseball squad.

In and About Bethel

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Packard spent Thursday in Conway visiting their family, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith.

Ralph Packard and friend from Minnesota are spending some time in the area visiting family and friends.

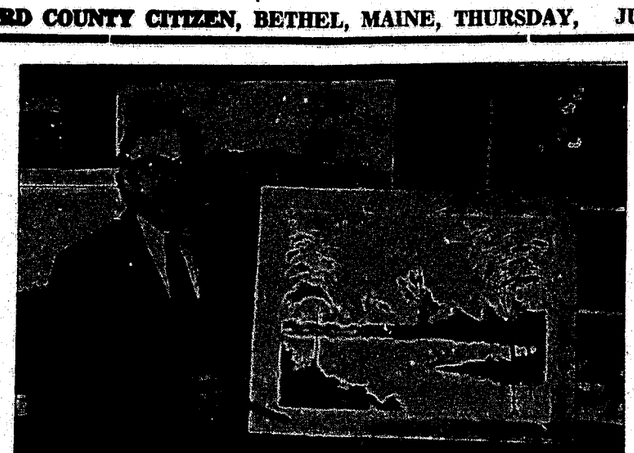
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Eddy have returned from a trip to Falls Church, Va., where they attended the high school graduation of their grandson, Sean Carroll.

Jack McMillin, New Britain, Conn., received his Master of Arts Degree in Economics during the May Commencement at Trinity College, Hartford, Conn. He is also an alumnus of Gould Academy and the University of Connecticut, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. McMillin, Mason St., Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Bailey, Sacramento, Calif., are receiving congratulations on the birth of their second daughter, Theresa Jean, on June 20. She joins a sister, Kathleen. She weighed in at 8 lbs 5 oz. Sharing grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gill, Rancho Cordova, Calif., and Elizabeth Bailey, Bethel.

A large moose was reported in the area of Kilborn-Tyler Streets early one morning last week. After plodding through the yard of the Titcomb property, corner of Kilborn and Chapman Streets, he wandered across lawns and gardens on Tyler Street and disappeared in the direction of the Vernon Street meadow.

Dr.'s George and Sharon Eypper were house guests of Mrs. Charles S. Eypper this past week end. Mrs. Eypper's daughter-in-law, Sharon, was recently awarded a Doctorate in Medicine by the University of Michigan. She will do a residency in Internal Medicine at the University of Massachusetts where her husband, George is a member of the medical school faculty.



WOODROW MERRILL, above, noted New England artist, will be appearing at the Bethel Gospel Center on route 26 at 7 p. m. Saturday, June 26. He will be producing an oil painting during the service which will be given away to the person who brings the most people to the service. The public is cordially invited.

GRADUATES FROM KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY — Joy Hayes Phillips, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Hayes, formerly of this area, graduated recently with highest honors from the University of Louisville, Ky. A native of Westbrook, Joy and her parents lived for several years in Hyde Park, N. Y., where she attended high school. Mr. and Mrs. Hayes reside in Bethel, Conn. Joy is the granddaughter of Doris C. Hayes and Greenwood City and is great grandniece of Mrs. Eva Yates of Sunday River.

CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY—Mr. and Mrs. John Gottier celebrated their 64th anniversary June 22. Children and friends greeted them at their home in Upton.

SEN. WILLIAM COHEN

From Washington

A 54-year-old man, serving time in a Chicago prison for counterfeiting and conspiracy, told a Senate subcommittee last week that the government needs to make Social Security cards and other official forms of identification harder to copy. Before he was caught, the convict helped more than 100,000 illegal Mexican aliens gain not only entry into the U.S., but also employment and government benefits, by producing his own birth records, Selective Service and Social Security cards.

Ironically, the convict's printing skills were learned at a prison print shop while serving a sentence in a Minnesota prison for illegally smuggling aliens from Mexico. The prison print shop did a lot of work for the Immigration Service.

"On a scale of 'one to ten,' the Social Security card is a 'one'; it's just extremely simple to reproduce," the convict told the Governmental Affairs Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of which I am a member.

Once a person gets access to a Social Security number, however, he or she can then qualify for our federal state, and local assistance programs, depending upon factors such as age and marital status. These benefits include Social Security, Supplemental Security Income, Medicaid, Medicare, food stamps, Aid to Families with Dependent Children, student loans, unemployment compensation, and "black-lung" compensation.

It is estimated that false identification today has cost the American public more than $24 billion. According to testimony before the subcommittee, federal agencies issue identity documents—including passports, visas, and alien registration and Social Security cards—are alarmingly open to abuse, by both the public and the employees themselves.

During the hearings, we learned that:

—There is virtually no cooperation between agencies which issue and protect federal identification, and those benefit-paying agencies which rely on the documentation as proof of identity and entitlement eligibility.

—An applicant caught using false documents or making false representations can still obtain a visa, provided he retracts the lie, or the lie is considered inconsequential, according to State Department policy.

—A temporary visitor to the U. S. bearing an Immigration Service form with a "work authorized" or "refugee" designation can obtain all the same federal benefits as a U. S. citizen. The form is so lacking in security and integrity features that it is legally permissable for commercial airlines to print their own versions of the form for airline passengers.

—Because the Immigration Service cannot verify the number of deportation notices sent to the Social Security Administration, a majority of deported aliens continue to receive Social Security benefits. According to a recent review, less than 4% of the aliens deported in 1981 have had the benefits suspended.

—The State Department estimates that 1% of all passport applications are fraudulent. Using that percentage, 30,000 applications of the 3 million submitted yearly should be rejected. Yet only an average of 900 cases a year are detected.

In addition to the government's inability to detect fraud and bribery in its programs, testimony showed that those who are caught may not even be prosecuted. There is no federal statute specifically prohibiting the use of false or unauthorized documents to obtain federal identification; prosecution of false identification crimes is given a low priority; conviction usually brings a lenient penalty; and substantial jurisdictional and enforcement gaps exist between state and federal statutes.

The overall problem is, in fact, much more widespread than most of us realize, with a pervasive impact on efficient government. As a former State Department official told the subcommittee, false identification is helping street crime and the narcotics trade to flourish, is hampering the efforts of the law enforcement community to bring fugitives to justice, and is creating an untold burden on the nation's budget in costs to government social programs.

The subcommittee will be holding legislative remedy hearings to address these issues in the near future.

Letters to the Editor

To the Voters of the
Town of Bethel:

Next Tuesday, June 29, there will be a special town meeting to vote on the purchsae of a new town grader. I feel that as you voted for me to represent you that I should explain to you how I intend to vote and why although the decision to acquire the grader will be up to the majority.

First of all, I endorse paying for the grader this year in full, if the majority vote for the purchase. With interest rates so high and an uncertain economic future, if we do indeed vote an expenditure of this amount we should retire the debt this year and not encumber ourselves for another year.

The grader that the Board has endorsed will cost, with the wing attachment, $77,913. A one mill increase raises approximately $32,500 therefore if voted for the rate will increase 2.4 mills or a 12% increase in your taxes.

Your Selectmen and Assessors have attempted to keep the tax rate the same however this year we might face a ½ mill increase even before the grader issue is addressed.

Considering this ½ mill increase in conjunction with the grader purchase we are looking at a tax increase of possibly 14%.

The present grader is old and will need repairs. I would not endorse rebuilding this machine but rather repairs made to keep it operating. During the last five years the average costs for repair have been $1,690 per year.

Other alternatives to using the present grader are available if it becomes necessary. We have other equipment for snow removal and there are other graders in the area we could hire.

Weighing all the above I voted against the purchase during the preliminary meetings and intend to vote against it at the town meeting.

I hope that we have a good voter turn-out on the 29th. You have trusted me to represent you and I have been honored by this trust. I trust now you will come to this meeting. Town affairs are the responsibilty of all of us.

Patricia C. Dooen,
Selectman

CHURCH NEWS

Bethel United Methodist Church
Rev. Millett Cummings, Pastor
Tel. 824-2010 or 743-2213
Organist, Mrs. Susan Glines
Administrative Board Chairman, Harold Powell
Sunday School Superintendent, Norman Clanton

Sunday:
9:30 a. m. Sunday School.
10:30 a. m. Worship Service.
Tuesday: 9:30 a. m. Bible Study at the church.
Thursday: 7 p. m. Choir rehearsal at the parsonage.
UMW—first Thursday of each month.
Anyone needing prayers of church members or knowing of someone in need please call Mrs. Burton Abbott, Mrs. Wallace Saunders or Mrs. Ranald Stevens.

West Parish Congregational United Church of Christ
Church St., Bethel
Rev. Brendon Bass
Rev. Jean Bass
Co-Pastors
Miss Mary Valentine, Minister of Music

Sunday:
9:15 a. m. Sunday School for Pre-School through Adults.
Worship Service, 10:30 a. m.
First and third Sunday, 7 - 8:30 p. m. Confirmation Class for 9th through 12th grades.
Wednesday, 5:30 - 7:00 p. m. Youth Fellowship, grades 6 - 12.
Thursday, 7:30 - 9:00 p. m. Choir rehearsal.

Our Lady of the Snows Catholic Church
Rt. 26 Bethel
Rev. Donald R. Proulx
Saturday, 4:30, Anticipated Mass.
Sunday, 9:30, Mass.

Bethel Gospel Center of Christian & Missionary Alliance
D. N. Larson, Pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m., three year olds through adults.
Babysitting for all children under five years during Church.
Morning Worship, 10 a. m.
Evening Service, 6 p. m.
Monday: Men's Bible Studies, 7 p. m.
Ladies' Bible Study. Tuesdays, 9:30 a. m. — for location call: 824-2859. Babysitting.
Wednesday, 7 p. m.: Prayer and Bible Study.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene
Church Street
Rev. Barry Beverage

Sunday:
Sunday School (for all ages including adults), 9:30 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10:30 a. m.
Evening Worship, 6 p. m.
Wednesday: Prayer Meeting, 7 p. m. Youth Meeting, 7 p. m.
For transportation or information to any service call 824-2872.

West Bethel Union Church
Rev. Norman Rust, Minister
Phone: Church 836-2925
Home 392-2091
Parish Day Thursday
Mrs. Nesta Littlefield, Organist
Mrs. Rodney Kimball, Custodian
Choir Rehearsal, 9 a. m., Sunday.
Morning worship, 9:30 a. m.
Nursery provided for pre-school children.
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.
Chapel Aid, second Wednesday evening at 7:30.
Supper Club, third Sunday, 6:00 p. m.
Youth Fellowship, Thursdays, 5:30 p. m.

Pleasant Valley Bible Church
B. R. Griffeth, Pastor
Linda Stowell,
Pianist and Choir Director

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m. Ages 3 through adult.
Morning worship, 10 a. m. Baby sitting for children through age 5
Tuesday: choir practice, 6 p .m
Prayer and Bible Study, 7 p. m.
Thursday: Ladies Bible Study, 9:30 a. m. Babysitting provided.

Locke Mills Union Church
Interim Pastor,
Rev. William Bicket
Mrs. Richard Melville, Organist
Church Services, 9:00 a. m.
Ladies Circle meets every third Wednesday at 1:30 p. m.
Youth Group, Thursday, 7 p. m

Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Pastor: Linwood Hanson

Sunday:
9:15 a. m. Sunday School.
10:30 a. m. Worship Service.
7:00 p. m. Evening Service.
Wednesday, Bible Study and Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p. m.

Bryant Pond Unitarian-Universalist Church
Worship and discussion by members focuisng on topics of ethics and social responsibilities. Seekers from various backgrounds welcome. Alternating Sunday evenings at 7 p. m. Call Bryant Pond 101 for information.

St. Barnabas Episcopal Church
Rumford, Maine
A Celebration of the Holy Eucharist, The Rev. Jacqueline R. Merrill, 824-3169, 5:00 p. m. the second and fourth Sunday of the month at the West Parish Congregational Church, Bethel, Maine.

Newry Community Church
Newry, Maine
Rodney Hanscom, Pastor
Robert Duran, Organist
Sunday Morning Worship, 9:00.
Thursday, 7 p. m. Bible Study at Owen Wight's.

Assembly of God
Upton
Rev. Andy Torbett
Sunday, 2 p. m., Worship Service.
Sunday School, 2 p. m., in Ladies' Aid Building. Teacher, Brian Rasmussen.
Prayer meeting, 7 p. m., Wed.
Ladies' Bible Study, 9:30 a. m. Tues., home of Yvonne Viens.

Rumford Area Bible Speaks
Pastor, Bob Colby
364-4573
Sunday: 10 a. m. Worship Service and Sunday School at the Faith Bible Chapel, Rumford Corner.
Sunday and Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Services at 425 Prospect Ave., Rumford.
Thursday, 10 a. m., Women's Bible Study, at Eleanor Brooks', Main St., Bethel.
Mon.-Fri., "Truth for Today" radio broadcast on WRUM, 790 am —11:30 a. m. - 12:00 noon.
Mon.-Fri., Truth For Today Bible School Class, 6 p. m.-10 p. m., 524 Prospect Ave., Rumford.
For information or counseling, call 369-9373.

First Congregational Church United Church of Christ
Andover
Rev. Norman Rust, Pastor
Organist and Choir Director,
Mrs. Linda Burnham
Sunday School Supt.,
Paula Putnam

Sunday:
11 a. m. Worship Service.
Thursday: Junior Choir, 6:30 p. m.; Senior Choir, 7:30 p. m.
Ladies Aide—Every other Monday at noon, C. E. B.

Calvary Congregational Church
Route 5
Andover, Maine
Pastor: Donald Grover
Pianist: Mrs. Edna White
Choir Director: Carol Stuart
Sunday School Superintendent: Marjorie Stinson
Worship Service, 10:45.
Sunday School, 9:30.
Youth Group, 5:30.
Prayer and Praise, Wednesday at 7:30 at the church.
Choir rehearsal, Wednesdays at 6:30.

Christian Science Services
In all Christian Science Churches, the Lesson-Sermon read from the desk is the same. The public is cordially invited to attend.
Sunday, June 27: Subject—Christian Science. Golden Text: Luke 12-32—Fear not, little flock; for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, corner of Main and Tenth Streets, Berlin, N. H., holds Sunday morning services at 11 a. m., and Sunday School at the same hour for pupils up to the age of 20 years. The Wednesday evening meeting is at 7:45, including testimonies of healing.

Christian Science Society, Norway, 9 Stevens St., off Alpine St. Sunday: Services and Sunday School at 10:30 a. m.
Wednesday evening service at 7:30 p. m. includes testimonies of healing.

OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH
Albany Congregational Church
Rev. B. F. Wentworth
10:30 a. m. Worship Service.

East Stoneham Congregational Church
Jeffrey Hooker, Pastor
9:00 a. m. Worship Service

North Waterford Congregational Church
Jeffrey Hooker, Pastor
10:30 a. m. Worship Service.

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Friday evening, 4-8.
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Tel. (207) 824-2444.

For Sale

1981 Suzuki GS850, some extras, low mileage. Must sell for college funds. $1,600. Tel 824-2254. 25-26

STANDING HAY - Yours for the cutting. Call 836-2665. 25

LIFE can be beautiful—and so are carpets cleaned with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer, $1 and $2 machines. Brooks Bros., Inc., 824-2158. 25

MOVING SALE — Washer, dryer, upright freezer, table and chairs, pine hutch, air-tight stove, portable dishwashier, Sears 12 H.P. riding mower with attachments, lots of misc. Rt. 2, W. Bethel Village, Sat., June 26th, 9-5, 836-2211. 25

1979 Vista Mobile Home, 14x70, 2 full baths, 2 bedrooms. Partially furnished and wood or oil heat. Call 824-2126, 24-25p

FOR SALE - Avocado 2 door refrigerator, 3 yr. old; 20" electric stove; dining room set with china closet. 824-2213 or 583-6110. 24-25

FOR SALE - Trailer: 12' x 41'. 1½ bedrooms, bath, living room-kitchen comb. 275 gal. oil tank, new V roof, skirting, small porch, wheels and tires still on. Must be moved. $5,000. Call 824-2843. 24-25p

FOR SALE - 10 h. p. riding tractor, 36" deck, $900; girl's 3 speed bike, $25; Roper 5 h. p. tiller, like new, $325. 824-2403. 24-25

WOODSTOVES - It's never too early to check out our unbelievable off-season values—many models may be seen at 6 Elm St., Bethel —Swain Brothers— summer hours by appointment or by chance—824-2098. 23-30

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1982 VW Rabbit, 4 dr., diesel.
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1981 Chevy C-10, 6 standard, P/S, deluxe, 2 tone. $5,695
1981 Mercury Lynx, GL wagon, 11,000 miles. $5,695
1981 Dodge Aries K Formal, 2 dr., auto., P/S, AM/FM, 17,000 miles. $6,195
1981 Honda Accord, 3 dr., 5 sp., 25,000 miles. Sharp red car. $6,595
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1980 Chevy ½ ton, 6½' fleetside, 30,000 miles, 305, std., P/S. $4,995
1980 Mazda 626 coupe, 5 sp., red, 30+ mpg. $4,995
1980 VW Rabbit, 5 sp., air. $5,395
1980 Subaru sedan, 4 dr. $4,195
1980 VW Rabbit diesel, 2 dr., w/ air. $5,295
1980 Subaru GL, 4 dr., 5 speed. $4,195
1980 Subaru DL, 4x4 hatchback. $4,395
1979 Mazda GLC wagon. $3,195
1979 Mercury Zephyr, 4 dr., 6, auto., P/S, air, stereo. $3,795
(2) 1979 Novas, one 2 dr. hatch. & one 4 dr. Your choice $3,095
1978 Subaru Brat. 2,595
1978 Chevy Big 10 H.D., ½ ton, 8, auto., P/S, AM/FM, 49,000 mi. $3,595
54,000 miles. $3,495
54,000 miles. $3,595
1978 Plymouth Volare, 4 dr., 6, auto., P/S, air. $2,695
1978 Subaru 4x4 wagon, 42,000 miles. Clean car. $3,195
1977 Ply Volare wagon, 6, auto., P/S, 65,000 miles. $2,395
1975 Dodge Dart Swinger, 6 cyl., auto. $1,795

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1975 Subaru wagon 4 wheel drive.
1975 Toyota wagon, 4 speed, new paint. $895
1975 VW Dasher wagon, 4 speed.
1975 Dodge Dart. $650

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LIONS CLUB IS CHOOSING PRINCESS MOLLYOCKETT 1982

The Bethel Lions Club has announced that they are in the process of choosing a young lady to be honored as Princess Mollyockett for Mollyockett Day, Saturday, July 17, 1982.

Criteria for selection of Princess Mollyockett are as follows: young ladies interested need to submit a short background history of themselves, and a recent photograph; the minimum age is 15 and the maximum is 18; each individual will also need to submit a short essay as to why they would like to be chosen as Princess Mollyockett, and what this means to them and the community. The deadline for submitting the above is July 9, 1982. Submit all information to Lion Elden Hathaway, Rumford Avenue, Bryant Pond, Maine 04219.

Princess Mollyockett will preside over Mollyockett Day festivities such as the parade, the awarding of prizes, etc. Princess Mollyockett will also be presented with a U. S. Savings Bond by the Bethel Lions Club.

For Sale

FOR SALE - 1978 Suzuki Motorcycle, 750 GS, low mileage, full fairing, sissy bar, saddle bags, excellent condition. Call 836-2273, John Gunther. 25-26

FOR SALE - 2 Vermont Castings "Defiant" Stoves. Excellent condition. $500 each. John Gasser, 824-2114. 23tf

3 Solid Oak Pews. Can be seen through Aug. 1st after Masses. Our Lady of the Snows, Rt. 26. Min. bid, $65 each. 824-2148. 23-30

FOR SALE - Lawn chairs, electric coffee pot, toaster, electric stove, refrigerator, gas stove, number of other items. Jennie Perkins, Songo Pond. 23-26

FOR SALE - 1970 Saab; transportation that needs some work. Make an offer. 824-2588. 23tf

CARS $200! TRUCKS $150! Available at local government sales. Call (refundable) 1-(714) 569-0241 ext. 2392 for directory that shows you how to purchase. 24 hrs. 23-25p

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Real Estate

GILLIES REALTY, INC. Attractive house-lots with excellent locations. Evergreen Road and Mill Hill. Water and sewer in place. Call 824-3211. 25-26

WANTED - 5 acres, remote with wood, on pond, prefer Concord or Shagg. No electricity, principals only. Call Tom Morin, Century 21 Mike Quinn Realty, evenings 539-4844. 25

GILLIES REALTY, INC. Opportunity on Paradise: For $25,000 buy this attractive house and live in your investment. 4 bedrooms with 1 bath. Call 824-3211. 25-26

South Pond—Log sided cottage on waterfront—screen porch across front—private lot—excellent condition and furnished—only $23,500. Bennett Real Estate, P. O. Box 124, Westbrook, Me. or call 207-854-5708. 24-25

4 acre mini-farm outside Bethel. 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, large country kitchen, din. rm., liv. rm., 22 ft. family room, attached barn with workshops, near schools, tree-shaded yard. Owner financing available to qualified buyer. Asking $48,000. Strout Realty, Hanover, 364-3076. 24tf

Bethel Area—40 acres in secluded location overlooking 15 acre trout pond with 700 feet of pond access. South exposure, heavily wooded with large brook and year round access. $25,000, 824-3244. 24-25p

Bethel. 4 bedroom village home, 2 baths, w/w carpeting, hardwood floors, 2 car garage, enclosed porch. Quality throughout. 9½% assumable mortgage available. Strout Realty, Hanover. 364-8076. 24tf

Bethel Cape offers remodeled kitchen, dining room, living room, 3 bedrooms, attached barn. Good investment for renovating and resale, $18,000. Strout Realty, Hanover, 364-8076. 24tf

Long Lake, Harrison, Maine. Year round shore and back lots with access to lake. 207 824-2169 or 207 824-2358. George Nickerson. 20tf

Assumable 10% VA Mortgage can help you own this attractive 3 or 4 BR Bethel home. Lrg. kit., din. rm., bath, attached barn w/ loft, rural setting, enclosed porch. Asking $42,500. Strout Realty, Hanover, 364-8076. 24tf

Paradise Hill, energy efficient home, mountain views, spacious yard, garden space, all new, 3 bdrms., bath, living, large kitchen-dining, full basement, 2 car garage, sun deck, F.H.A. heat. By appointment: 824-3343. 21tf

Charming 6-room home in Sunday River is owner financed. 3 BR, kit., dining room, liv. rm., full basement, 1½ baths, 2-car garage, nice tree-shaded lot. Asking $49,000. Strout Realty, Hanover, 364-8076. 24tf

Owner financed 6 room Cape in Locke Mills. FHA central heat; also wood heat. Many nice features. Excellent terms. Asking $27,500. Strout Realty, Hanover, 364-8076. 24tf

LAND FOR SALE - 52 acre Woodlot in South Woodstock. Write L. G. Smith, Box 49, Bethel. Tel. 824-2615. 19tf

Three Bedroom Condominium at Sunday River Skiway, completely refurbished. Call 824-2120. 15tf

Lost

LOST - Magnifying glasses, Ben Franklin frames, in gray case. If found contact Martha Von Ztntl. 25

Help Wanted

JOB INFORMATION: Cruise Ship Jobs. Also Houston, Dallas, Overseas jobs. 312-741-9780 Dept. 325B. Phone Call Refundable. 23-26p

Demonstrators: EARN $1000 or more selling name brand toys and gifts (Fisher-Price, PlaySkool, Fenton), Treasure House Party Plan. Call Turner 1-225-2674. Also booking Parties. 21-26

Wanted

WANTED - Child's bicycle 16" (preferred) or 20", in good condition. Call 875-2495. 25

WANTED - Used secretary, Gov. Winthrop preferred. Call 824-2492. 24-27p

Cash Paid for old coins, gold, silver, books, paintings, tools, railroad items, old stock certificates, bonds, paper money, antiques. Brian Harvey, 1-364-7047. WE MAKE HOUSE CALLS. 17p-36

I will pay top cash for your pianos. Tuning, sales and service. J. D. Furst and Son, tel. 1-743-8174. 10tf

Antiques, glass, china, clocks, furniture, early tools, lamps. One item or entire estate. Appraisal service, Rumford Center Antiques, Albert H. Brown. Tel. 364-2073. 27-52ptf

WANTED TO BUY - Scrap metal, Home evenings and week ends. RAYMOND CHAPMAN, 836-2585. 39tf

For Rent

FOR RENT - In Bethel Village, a first floor apartment, 2 or 3 bedrooms, stove, and refrigerator included. $200.00 security deposit and references. $180. monthly rent in advance. Call 824-2478. 23tf

FOR RENT - 3 bedroom Cape on Paradise Street, Bethel. Available immediately. Owner on premises, June 26 and 27. 25

Large house on lake. 3-4 bedrooms. Winterized. $300.00/month. 1 year lease. Phone: BP 70 ring 5. 25

Now Available — Mobile home on Route 26, South Bethel. 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths. $250 month plus security deposit and references. Call 652-2497 after 5 p. m. and week ends for appointment. 21-26

1 & 2 bedroom apartments for rent on Board St., available end of June. 1 bedroom house for rent. Call Gail Connors, 824-3185. 21tf

HOME FOR RENT in town Bethel. 8 room colonial, wood/oil heat, $325. Call B. Titcomb. 1-353-2244. 19tf

Miscellaneous

Septic tank pumping by appointment. Brooks Bros., Inc., 824-2158. 23tf

Overeaters Anonymous, time and place varies. Call for information, 369-9561, 824-2778 or 824-2661. 20tf

AA meets Wednesday, 8 p. m., at the Bethel Savings Bank. 17tf

EARS PIERCED — $7.50, Saturday, 3 to 6. See Chuck, Prim's Pharmacy, Main St., Bethel 45tf

Shop and Portable Welding. Brown's Welding Shop, Bethel. 824-2752. 33tf

BENNETT'S UPHOLSTERY — Home and office furniture, antique and modern. Call for free estimates, quality workmanship at very reasonable prices. 824-2336. 15tf

Guaranteed frame repair, floor pan patching. If we can fix it, it will last the life of your car. Come in for an estimate. Rt. 219 Garage and Auto Sales, West Paris, Maine. Tel. 674-2921. 46tf

GLASS REPLACEMENT — Auto Glass — Comb. Windows — Sales and Repairs. Twin Town Glass, 45 Main St., Norway, Maine. Tel. 743-6478. 13tf

LEWIS M. SARGENT, Painting — Interior and Exterior, Paper Hanging. Phone 824-2835. Bethel. 30tf

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M.S.A.D. #44 BOARD MEETS

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$5,000; Building Improvements, $21,000 Student Activities, $150; Capital Outlay, $10,000.

The Directors approved the following supervisors for the 1983 fiscal year: Sonny Blake, Transportation; Bernie Rice, Maintenance; Hilda Brown, Hot Lunch; Cathy Newell, Adult Education.

The following lead teachers for the District's elementary schools for the 1982-83 year were approved: Adrianne Gallant, Ethel Bisbee School; Pam Berry, Woodstock Elementary School; John Emery, Andover Elementary School. An appointment for the Crescent Park School will be made at a later date.

Municipal assessments for the local share of the fiscal year 1983 budget were approved in the following amounts: Andover, $187,479.32; Bethel, $428,115.90; Greenwood, $192,428.57; Newry, $94,421.35; Woodstock, $226,918.59.

Judy Brown was appointed as Title I Reading Teacher at the Telstar Middle School for the 1982-83 school year.

First reading approval of "Make Up Policy" was granted by the Board. Text of the policy is as follows: "Students are allowed two days for each day of excused absences to make up classwork, tests, or quizzes. The following categories of absences are excused: A. Absence from school because of school sponsored events such as field trips, athletic events, student council meetings, etc. B. Appointments with health professionals that cannot be made outside the school day. C. Absences due to suspension from school. D. Absences due to illness. E. Planned absences for personal or educational purposes for which the parents have notified the school in advance. Work missed due to unexcused absences cannot be made up. Students will receive no credit for work during an unexcused absence, or work not made up after the prescribed time limits. It is the responsibility of the student to comply with the appropriate procedures established in the school."

The Directors declined to grant first reading approval to a "Drug/Alcohol Policy" that would have provided an avenue to assist employees who have been ascertained by professionals competent in the field to have a alcohol/dependency problem. Also included would have been a commitment by the District to develop preventive programs relative to substance use, and the development and implementation of a curriculum for all grade levels to address issues related to chemical use.

As a result of Board action the District's school lunch program will be allowed to initiate the offer-versus-serve provision of the National School Lunch Program for fiscal year 1983 at the Telstar Middle and Regional High Schools. More details on this program are to be available as the 1982-83 school year approaches.

All Directors were present at the Monday evening session.

The next meeting of the S.A.D. 44 Board is scheduled for Monday evening, July 12, at 7:30, in the Telstar Library.

FAMILY REUNION

The Kimball-Emery family reunion will be held Sunday, June 27, at the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harmon, Kezar Lake.

BETHEL RED SOX DROP FIRST

The Bethel Red Sox lost their first game of the season Wednesday, June 16, at Andover by a score of 7 - 5.

Scoring began in the first inning as Andover came up with three runs on four hits. Starting pitcher Mike Thompson struck out two.

The Red Sox bounced back with two runs in the top of the second. Mike Thompson and Randy Coulombe both reached base on errors and circled the bases on passed balls and wild pitches from Andover's starting pitcher, Robbie Shields.

Andover countered with two runs in the second, one in the third and one in the fourth and the score stood at 7 - 2 after five innings of play.

The Red Sox threatened in the last inning, coming up with three runs on two hits. Jimmy Merrill led off with a single and Jeff Lyon, Shannon Sumner and Chris Keyes walked. Then with bases loaded Rodney White singled in two runs. But Shields collected three of his 13 strike outs to end the Red Sox rally.

The win left Andover in first place with a 5 - 0 record while the Red Sox dropped to a second place tie with the Bethel Braves at 4 - 1.

W. MAINE ART GROUP STARTS SUMMER SEASON TUESDAY, JUNE 29

The Western Maine Art Group will begin its 1982 summer season Tuesday, June 29, at the Lajos Matolcsy Art Center, Main St., Norway. The opening will feature work by the Western Maine Art Group members, and will run through July 10. The Art Center is open Tuesday through Saturday, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. No admission is charged, donations are accepted.

EXTENSION ADVISORY BOARD MET IN BETHEL JUNE 7

The Oxford County Extension Association Advisory Board met at the Bethel Savings Bank, Bethel, on Monday evening, June 7.

The Advisory Board is planning Oxford County Field Day, which will be held Aug. 7 in the Bethel area. The theme for this first year is Energy and Energy Conservation. The purpose of the Field Day is to share information through demonstrations and exhibits of energy conservation methods, ideas and materials for the home and farm. Any person, group or business is welcome to exhibit. There is no fee. Interested persons may contact Extension Agent, Rusty Clark, at the Extension Office in South Paris.

The Advisory Board supported Agent Stephanie Knight's proposal to continue the Expanded Foods and Nutrition Education Program (EFNEP) in 1983. E.F.N.E.P. is a program designed to help eligible families learn more about nutrition and get the most value from their food dollar or food stamp. The program has been utilized in Oxford County for 11 years.

Each year in April and May, a Plan of Work is written by the Extension Agents, Advisory Board and Community volunteers. This plan lays out the new and continuing programs which will be carried out for the next year. Irene Hutchinson moved that the 1982-83 Plan of Work for Oxford County Extension be adopted. This motion carried unanimously.

The Cooperative Extension Service can help you solve problems related to agriculture and natural resources, family living, community concerns, and the development of young people. For further information about Extension, please call or visit the Oxford County Extension Office, 25 Market Square, South Paris, 743-6329. Area Board members may also be contacted: Canton, George Conant, 597-3431; Dixfield, Irene Hutchinson, 562-4604; South Paris, Extension Office, 743-6329; Rumford Center, Albert Brown, 364-2073; Fryeburg, Ralph Shevlin, 697-2442; West Paris, Mary Grover (Women of Extension); South Paris, Nancy Record (4-H).

AWARDS BANQUET OF CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HELD JUNE 16

The annual Greater Bethel Chamber of Commerce Awards were presented Wednesday, June 16, at the Bethel Inn.

Rep. Karen L. Brown presented the Henry H. Hastings Award for outstanding community service to Jan Stowell of Paradise Road. Mrs. Stowell has long been active in community organizations, especially with the West Parish Congregational Church and the Northern Oxford Health and Service Council.

John Head presented the Senior Citizen Award for outstanding community service to Arthur Gilbert of West Bethel. Mr. Gilbert is an active member of the West Bethel Union Church, local organizations and he recently retired as Postmaster in West Bethel.

Donald Bennett, executive director of the Greater Bethel Chamber of Commerce, presented one of two business awards to Garrett and Melody Bonnema of Bonnema Potters on Main Street. The award was presented for their contribution to promoting Bethel with their retail and wholesale business throughout the country.

A beautification improvement award was presented to John and Ruth Grover, owners and operators of men's and women's clothing stores on Main Street. Mr. Bennett cited them for their recent renovations at the shops and for their flower gardens adjacent to their businesses.

Barbara D. Brown, chairman of the festivities, presented a special recognition award to Stanley R. Howe, Director of the Bethel Historical Society, for his efforts in the successful Indian Raid celebration of 1981. Louise Lincoln, treasurer of the Bethel Historical Society, accepted for Mr. Howe, who was vacationing in Canada.

Ted Davis, faculty member at Telstar Regional High School, presented outstanding student community service awards to Tara Tracy of Andover and Jon Owen of Bethel, both members of Telstar's class of 1982.

MS. STOWELL IS GRADUATE OF KATHARINE GIBBS SCHOOL

Ms. Elizabeth Stowell of Charlestown, Mass., recently graduated from the Katharine Gibbs School of Boston where she completed the One-Year Program in Word Processing and was on the Dean's List. Ms. Stowell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Stowell of Bethel. She is a 1974 graduate of Gould Academy and attended Tufts University.

NEW LIFE MEMBERS—At the regular monthly meeting of the Bethel Historical Society on Thursday evening, May 6, three members were presented certificates of life membership. They were, left to right: Sudie Vachon, Edmond J. Vachon and Hope Tibbetts.

COMING EVENT

There will be a baked bean supper sponsored by the East Stoneham Congregational Church on Thursday, July 1, from 5 - 7 p. m. at the East Stoneham Church Vestry. Menu includes baked beans, casseroles, brown bread, salads and pie.

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Songo Pond

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parsons were in Portland one day last week to meet his brother, George, who is visiting them from California. Warren Parsons and family also visited with them on Sunday from Bath.

I spent four days last week visiting with a cousin in Connecticut. She drove me home and spent the night Friday returning to her home in Preston, Saturday. On Monday my brother and wife arrived after driving seven days on the road from Oak Grove, Ore. They will go on to Unity Thursday to visit other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Connie Hindman and Mark and Mr. and Mrs. John Hindman visited Mrs. Alfreda York in Barre, Vt., one day last week. Sunday morning John and Sherry and Rachel Hindman and also Mark returned to Virginia.

Mrs. Christine Kimball attended the Oxford Hills graduation exercises where her grandson Joel Barker was a member of the Senior class.

The Kimballs were also in Rumford Friday to pick up tractor parts. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fox, Curtis and Kevin, and Debbie Cushman of Monmouth, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Burgess of Greene were Sunday visitors and enjoyed a cook-out together.

Brandon Salway is among the basketball team boys attending hoop camp in Casco this week.

Mrs. Dave Salway and Kassi, Alice Kimball and guest Mrs. Edith Hunter, were in Auburn Tuesday afternoon.

"If Noah had been truly wise, he would have swatted those two flies." — Helen Castile.

WEST PARIS MARINE PARTICIPATES IN AMPHIBIOUS TRAINING

Marine Lance Cpl. Raymond W. Gill, son of John I. and Priscilla J. Staley of West Paris, recently participated in an amphibious training exercise on the island of Sardinia, Italy.

He is a member of Battalion Landing Team 1/8, 34th Marine Amphibious Unit, Camp Lejeune, N. C.

During the five-day exercise, his unit performed an amphibious landing and subsequent operations ashore, as well as live-fire training with French and Italian troops. The training was designed to coordinate operational methods between the NATO allies involved.

ADULT SOFTBALL SCHEDULE

Sunday, June 27: Bethel Loggers at Bethel Merchants.

Monday, June 28: Telstar at Rowe Hill; Bryant Pond at The Inn, Piston-Bulleys at Bears; Greenwood at Andover Loggers.

Wednesday, June 30: Bethel Merchants at Piston-Bulleys; Telstar at The Inn; Rowe Hill at Greenwood; Bryant Pond at Bears; Bethel Loggers at Andover Loggers.

BETHEL RED SOX 8 GREENWOOD 3

Brant Remington pitched a complete game giving up three runs on three hits, four walks and six strikeouts as the Bethel Red Sox downed Greenwood 8-3 before a hometown crowd.

The Red Sox took an early 2-0 lead in the first inning as Brant Remington and Jeff Lyon both walked and scored on wild pitches.

After Greenwood scored one run in the third, the Red Sox came up with four runs in the fourth to make the score 6-1. Mike Thompson reached base when he was hit by a pitch from Greenwood pitcher Frank Heath who began to have problems with control. He walked six batters which yielded the four runs.

The Red Sox came up with two more runs in the fifth as a result of walks and wild pitches to leave the score at 8-1. Frank Heath and Ben Bolen combined for Greenwood to strike out eight and give up only one hit, but walked 11.

Greenwood rallied with two outs in the last inning to score two runs and end the scoring at 8-3.

The win leaves the Red Sox at 5-1 while Greenwood drops to 2-4.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to Title 28 MRSA 252— a notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on June 28, 1982, 7:00 p. m., at the Bethel Savings Bank Meeting Room to consider a renewal Class I liquor license application from Joan and Claus Wiese d/b/a The Norseman Inn, U. S. Route 2, Bethel, Maine 04217.

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EAST ANDOVER

— Mrs. Marjorie Jodrey, Cor. —

The Andover Public Library Association is looking for an assistant librarian and a substitute librarian. Applications may be picked up at the Library on Tuesday, 1:30 to 4:30; Thursday, 1:30 to 4:30 and 6:30 to 8:30, and Saturday, 1:30 to 4:30. Applications may be left at the Library any time before July 3. Anyone wishing more information about the positions at the Library.

Mrs. Anthony Poole and daughters, Octavia and Medeh, of Lansing, Mich., arrived Wednesday morning at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Emerson Sr., for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Richardson are happy to have their oldest son, Bobby Jr., home on leave for a few days. He is stationed with the U. S. Army in Turkey.

Pastor Grover of the Calvary Congregational Church had as his Father's Day message, "The Father's Place in the Home." Psalms 112, verses 1-2-3. Carol Stuart and Marilyn Morton sang a duet "This Man of Galilee." Summer Sunday School hours are 9:30 to 10:30. This summer session will be held in two groups. Mrs. Donald Grover will instruct the primary group with lessons and crafts. Volunteers are instructing the older children in lessons and crafts. This week Barbara Meisner was the volunteer and "Father's Day" cards were made and each father was presented a handkerchief. Coming events are: Vacation Bible School will be Aug. 9-13.

Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Emerson and Forrest spent the week end with his parents and attended the Emerson-Akers wedding.

Mrs. Timothy Gribbon and Bridgid are visiting her mother, Mrs. Minnie Akers.

Mrs. Francis Humphrey, Michele and Melissa, Manchester, N. H., are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jodrey.

Mrs. Elizabeth Sennett has returned after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Conrad Hayes. While there they took a trip to Boothbay Harber, Brunswick, Colebrook, N. H., Bar Harbor and the White Mountains.

Rev. Norman Rust and family moved into the parsonage of the First Congregational Church on Upper Main Street, Friday, June 18. The parsonage phone number is 392-2091.

Rev. Rust had as his sermon topic on Sunday, June 20: "A Church for These Times." Greeters were Betsy Fisher and Helen Amidon. Flowers at the altar were in memory of Violet Swain's father who died a year ago this week. Special church meeting Sunday June 27 after worship to vote on new time changes for worship. New dish cloths are on sale at Arvilla Feener's or Doris French's.

Debra Meisner, Wahiawa, Hawaii; Victoria Meisner, Dover, Del., and Vincent Meisner, Elmwood Park, N. J., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Meisner.

A request from the Vacation Bible School Committee. Some of the much needed materials for their crafts are round plastic bottles (the kind liquid starch or ammonia comes in), and the deep plastic caps off fabric softener or on mouth wash bottles.

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On Friday, June 11, the Andover Friday Club met at Positively Maine Street, South Paris, for their annual luncheon. Plans for the 32nd annual Flower Show to be held Aug. 7 in conjunction with Old Home Days, at the Historical Society Building, were discussed. "This is The Life" will be this year's theme. For those interested in entering floral arrangements in the show, programs listing the categories will soon be in the local stores or may be picked up at Judy Richardson's home.

It was voted to give the same awards for outstanding High School English students again next year at the Alumni banquet.

Members were reminded of the New England Conference to be held at the Eastland Hotel in Portland, on Sept. 21-22-23.

The next meeting will be a pot luck luncheon at Marie Lang's cottage at Roxbury Pond, Sept. 10. Members attending were Minnie Akers, Dot Campbell, Thelma Clark, Gertrude Dynon, Anne Fox, Marie Lang, Margaret Learned, Roberta Learned, Jerry Marston, Florence Michaud, Betsy Mixer, Alys Parsons, Josephine Poor, Judy Richardson, Edith Bartlett, Madeline Wentzell and guest, Betty Rust.

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The Andover Elementary School held its Class Night at the gym on June 17. Principal David Gironda gave the welcoming remarks after which the teachers presented the Field Day awards for their classes.

Mr. Gironda presented the Walter Fox Book Awards in the absence of Violet Swan who has presented these awards for a number of years. Kindergarten, Keith Smith; 1st grade, Aaron Milligan; 2nd, Scott Spaulding; 3rd, Vickie Hutchins; 4th, Tracey Weston; 5th, Rebecca Hutchins; 6th, Karen Morton.

The Peter Michaud Award was presented to 5th grader Grady Littlehale.

Perfect attendance awards: Scott Spaulding, Scott Emery, Jennifer Hutchins, Gwen Hutchins, Brenda Taylor and Sandra Morton.

Certificates of Participation were awarded for Room Mothers, Volunteers, Book Fair and Campbell Soup Labels and Library Co-Chairpersons were presented by Evelyn Bodemer. Library Awards presented by Linda Clark and Carol Littlehale. Winner of the Jelly Bean Guessing Contest was Michael Dixon. Spelling Representative Award went to Danny Thurston. Danny Thurston also was given a special award certificate for achieving an all A grade all year.

Sixth grade pins and certificates were presented by John Emery to Heidi Belanger, Debbie Bodwell, Bob Chase, April Cole, Michael Dixon, Mace Gammon, Tracey Gammon, Jason Glover, Kim Hutchins, Steven Learned, Bobbi-Lyn Littlehale, Ricky Mixer, Nancy Miller, Lori Milton, Xandy Morton, Valari Morton, Karen Morton, D. J. Parker, Robbie Shields, Karen Simmons, Danny Thurston, Richard Thomas and Matthew White.

ASSIGNED TO KEESLER AFB — Airman Walter H. Bessey, son of Harold M. and Alberta C. Bessey of Rural Route 1, Bryant Pond, Maine, has been assigned to Keesler Air Force Base, Mississippi, after completing Air Force Basic Training. During the six weeks at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas., the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations. In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air Force. The airman will now receive specialized instruction in the communications-electronics systems field. He is a 1979 graduate of Rumford High School.

REED YOUNG PEOPLE GRADUATE

Tammy Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Record, Sitka, Alaska, formerly of Bethel, has been accepted at the University of Montana where she will major in communications.

While attending Sitka High School, she was a member of the varsity cheering squad, track team, swim team and a member of the National Honor Society. She also attended Girls State.

Commencement exercises were held May 24 at Sitka High School.

Teddy Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Record, Sitka, Alaska, graduated May 8 from the University of Maine at Presque Isle, where he received a Bachelor of Science degree in Environmental Sciences.

His wife, Carrie, also received a Bachelor of Science degree in Elementary Education.

Teddy and Tammy Reed are the grandchildren of Beatrice Dresser of Andover, and Stella Tyler of Gilead.

South Woodstock

— Olive Davis, Corres. —

Marita Clements and son David were in Belfast recently to attend the wedding of Lorna Clements and Lee Woodard. David remained a few days to visit relatives.

Eric Clements, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Clements received a certificate of achievement for drama and Math League at Telstar Regional High School annual honor's banquet on June 8.

Olive Davis called on Lizzie Russ Sunday and on Marion Mayhew Monday.

Jewel Goss, West Paris, called on Mrs. Thomas Schroer Monday afternoon.

Esther Davis spent some time with her daughter, Patsy Tibbetts this week.

This has been a cold week. Sunday it was 40° all day, the 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Schroer attended Camp Meeting at Freeport this week.

Mr. Schroer is holding meetings Saturday in Berlin and Conway. Soon he will be holding meetings with South Woodstock Adventist Church.

The Willing Workers

A meeting of the Willing Workers will be held on June 28 when a family get-together will be served in a pot-luck style at community Building (So. Woodstock Union Church). Each will bring a dish of goodies for the supper. There will be entertainment after the supper. The Willing Workers met with Olive Davis Monday night, June 14, with President Mina Morgan, secretary and treasurer, Sherry Wilbur, Mary Fleming, Esther Davis, Marita Clements, the hostess and one visitor, Stacy Wilbur, present.

A bridal shower was given Mary Ellen Andrews at Ledgeview Sunday afternoon. She received many gifts.

The South Woodstock Cemetery Association held a meeting at the Union Church Tuesday night headed by the president, Leon Poland Jr. and Walter Appleby Jr. as secretary and treasurer. Ethel Davis told why the meeting was called. There were 26 citizens present, who voted to turn the cemetery over to the town with the funds they have and the town take care of the plot in the future.

Special thanks were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Hathaway for their turning back to the Association their right of way through the cemetery. Also thanks to Charles Burnham for surveying the lot. It was appreciated. The president, Leon Poland Jr., thanked Ethel Davis for her work in getting the interested citizens to attend the meeting. It was voted to have an article at the next town meeing concerning the welfare of this cemetery for the vote of the people. The meeting was adjourned.

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— Miss Amy Hanscom, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Powers were hosts at a family gathering at their home Saturday evening in honor of Father's Day, the first wedding anniversary of Tim and Marlene Powers, June 20, and Stephen Power's birthday June 24. The cake was made by Marlene Powers. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Warren Powers, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Powers, Newry, and Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Powers and Maranda, Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Verna Glover, Hollis, Mrs. Anita Parslow, Amy Lynn, Gregory and Bradley, Dayton, spent the week end at the Glover trailer here and called on Amy and Roger Hanscom.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Newell, of Bethel, called on Amy and Roger Hanscom, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lowell hosted the Oxford County 4-H Beef Club at their farm on the Branch Road Saturday with about 60 attending. Tim Worthley was the speaker. He spoke on cattle and explained clipping and getting cattle ready for exhibition at fairs and judging. Some of the cattle will be sold at Norway and Fryeburg fairs this fall.

A coffee and social hour followed the regular 9 a. m. services at the Newry Community Church on Sunday. Special baptismal services were held at the church at 1:30 p. m. for Samantha Gail Brooke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Brooke, Augusta, with Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Peterson (Lynn Dickey), Harrison, as Godparents, and Amber Gail Brooke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randall Brooke, of Newry, with Sherwood Jordan and friend, Wanda Piawlock, Bethel, as Godparents. Mr. and Mrs. F. Owen Wight entertained Mr. and Mrs. William Brooke and Samantha, Mrs. Phyllis Dickey, Augusta, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Peterson, Harrison, Pastor Rodney Hanscom, Sherwood Jordan and Wanda Piawlock, Bethel, Scott and Thomas Wight, Brunswick, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Brooke, Seneca and Amber, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wight, Newry, at a cook out before the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ridlon and daughter, Bethany, Bridgton, were Sunday dinner guests of her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Tripp.

SENIOR CITIZEN MENUS

Monday, June 28: Hamburg stroganoff on noodles; green beans, fruit cup.

Tuesday, June 29: Liver with onions and tomatoes, mashed potatoes, peas, fruit, (no bread).

Thursday, July 1: Pork Patties w/gravy, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, fruit, (no bread).

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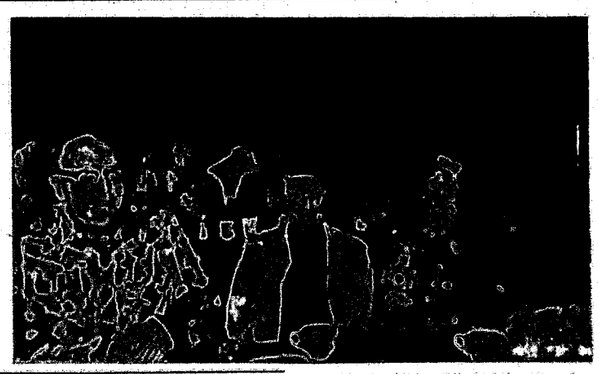

AFTER THE CRUISE—Fryeburg volunteers Jonathan Hall, Lucia Lewis and Hazel Hall enjoy lunch at Wilkins Community House in Waterford after a boat trip on the Songo Queen, June 17.

RSVP BOAT TRIP & LUNCHEON ON THURSDAY, JUNE 17

On Thursday, June 17, approximately 85 RSVP Volunteers of South Oxford took a cruise on the Songo Queen, from 9:30 a. m. to 12 noon.

Entertainment was provided by "The Eric Hanson Quintet", which consists of Eric, his wife Nancy, Reverend Dallas and Myrna Henry and their son, Tim Henry. This group played guitars and trumpet and sang many lovely spirituals. Also entertaining was Jay Johnson, an RSVP Volunteer himself Jay played his accordian and conducted a sing-a-long of "oldies but goodies."

"Inside, on the boat, it was warm and dry," says Jo-Anne Walters, RSVP Area Coordinator, "and everyone had a good time, in spite of the rain."

After the boat trip, the party moved to Waterford, where they were served a delightful luncheon at the Wilkins Community House. Reverend Linwood Hanson gave thanks for the lunch and for the day of good fellowship. He asked for a special blessing for all volunteers, who give so much to help those less fortunate than themselves.

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Ever seen an upside down pyramid? The pyramids of Egypt were built upon a broad and solid foundation with the point or pinnacle on the top.

To build the pyramid with the point on the bottom would be impossible and the thought ridiculous.

One might think a person's life should be built on a broad base of knowledge—experience and natural selection of what seems worthwhile, permitting things of an accidental nature to prevail and set the course of life—and that's the way most children and young people are brought up—being influenced by their daily surroundings without proper parental care and supervision—the result of which are seen today in the breakdown of family structure and society.

To build up a life as if on the point of a pyramid—it seems proper to say—start a life on Biblical principles.

The Holy Bible—the existence of a Triune God—Father, Son and Holy Spirit—"Let us make man in our image"—Genesis 1:26. God the creator of the universe—including this earth and everything in it — mountains, valleys, oceans, clouds, earthquakes, thunder and snow storms, Col. 1-16, 17. All things sustained by a Supreme Being and all peoples responsible to Him—God.

The Bible repeatedly declares that God is active in the affairs of men—His authority is demonstrated in both positive and negative ways—and in the end "His will be done"—whether the world likes it or not.

To permit a child to be subjected to worldly ways is stupid and anti-Godly — Proverbs 22:6. The method of child raising on a broad base of horrendous T.V.—radio—news-stand magazines—street language and barnyard filth is exactly what delights Satan.

The positive way to influence a child is by Bible teaching—parental example of a Christ-like pattern—Sunday school and church related activities—daily and bed time prayers with love, hugs and kisses—plus whenever, a spanking —Proverbs 13:24—with love and an explanation of why disobedience and rebellion will not be tolerated.

Not only will the child's life be enriched with God's blessings—the parents will be at peace when their child—a gift from God enters this world fully capable to meet the onslaughts of our humanistic and materialistic society.

Fred Werner

MAINE STATE POLICE START SUMMER ENFORCEMENT

The Maine State Police have begun a Summer Enforcement Program aimed toward the reduction of fatal and injury accidents caused primarily by drunk drivers.

"With the increased traffic on our roads and the apparent increased consumption of alcoholic beverages during the summer, the state police are giving maximum attention in enforcing the Maine Drunk Driving Law and in making the public more aware of the serious consequences of Operating Under the Influence or O-U-I," said Col. Allan H. Weeks, chief of the Maine State Police.

Motorists criminally convicted of operating Under the Influence in Maine are required to spend at least 48 hours in jail, pay a minimum $350 fine and lose their license for a minimum of three months.

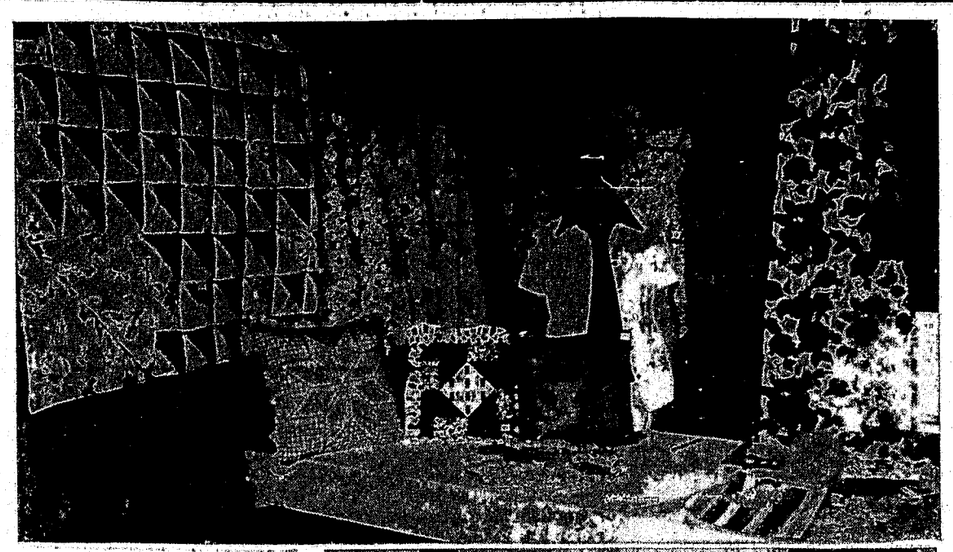
Weeks said the state police will be utilizing "selective enforcement procedures" throughout the summer in those areas where accidents especially involving a drinking driver may be involved. Troopers will also be using roadside alcohol pre-arrest screening units and Intoxilizers (which measure the blood alcohol by testing the breath of motorists).

"The state police will be operating Breath Alcohol testing vans, known as BAT-mobiles, in selected areas throughout Maine as well as in cooperation with county and municipal law enforcement agencies," said Weeks.

To help make the motoring public more aware of the consequences of drinking and driving, Troopers have been encouraged to take advantage of public speaking opportunities to service and other clubs and to participate in public events such as fairs, etc.

A "crucial" factor in making the public awareness portion of the Maine State Police Summer Enforcement Program a success is the continued cooperation from the print and broadcast media, Weeks said.

According to the state police chief, "It is through news and feature articles, interviews and talk show programs and public service announcements that readers, viewers and listeners throughout Maine and along our borders can become more aware of the dangers of driving after drinking in terms of lives lost, homes ruined and money wasted."



GIFT SHOP OPENS — On Friday, June 18, The Friday Gift Shop at the United Methodist Church in Bethel opened for the season. Verna Dyke, above, displays a fine assortment of aprons, pillows and quilts. Right: Betty Perkins arranges her miscellaneous collection of merchandise in the "Yankee Trader" department.

Bryant Pond

— Mrs. Alice F. Hoyt, Corres. —

Word has been received of the death of Gertrude Powers, former summer resident here, in Florida on June 17 after a long period of ill health. She and Dr. Powers were long time summer residents on Lake Christopher. Anyone wishing to do so may send contributions to the Gertrude Powers Nursing Scholarship Fund to this address: c/o Dr. A. G. H. Powers, 2371 Jones Dr., Dunedin, Fla. 33528.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ring and Alan, Freeport, were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring.

Beatrice Farnum, Alice and Bob Hoyt joined Mr. and Mrs. John Chase, Andy and Crystal, Althea, Keith and Jenny Stevens, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Chase for dinner Sunday at the John Chases.

JoAnn and David Crockett were supper guests Sunday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hoyt, Bobby, and Beatrice Farnum.

At the Baptist Church this week on Friday will be a special service at 7 p. m. with James Colbert, vice president of the Anti-Communism Crusade as speaker. Everyone is invited. Saturday night at 6 p. m. a fellowship supper for the church families. Please bring your own silverware. Following the supper Howard MacKillop will have a display of Christian Books for all to look at.

Woodstock Senior Citizens will meet on Thursday, July 1, at the Town Hall at 11 a. m. Dinner will be served by Franklin Grange at Grange Hall. In the afternoon, Mansfield Packard will show slides of their trip in the West.

The Annual Summer Sale by the Senior Citizens will be on July 15 at the Town Hall. Any articles donated for the sale will be appreciated.

Mrs. Ruth Dunham was a Sunday dinner guest of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Erland Scribner.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway have returned home from a trip with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Estes, to Newfoundland and other places.

Mr. and Mrs. Denis Corrin and family have returned from Tennessee where they attended a family reunion with Fay's family and attended the World's Fair.

Franklin Grange met for a regular meeting and election of officers on Monday, June 21, with 22 present. Sick members were reported on and election was held. The program was as follows: Reading; The Flag, Joe Yates; God Bless America, All; Safety Around the Home, the Neighborhood Watch, poem on Safety, Olive Davis; Poem, "God Made the World—I Think," by Lettie Brooks and Alice Hoyt; Song by all; Fathers were presented a gift for Father's Day by Olive Davis; Reading on Fathers by Olive Davis; Song, Harry Boyer; Song by All; Joe Yates spoke; Harry Boyer and a lady from Rumford Grange also spoke. Mrs. Eva Yates said a moose crossed the road in front of them on way to Grange. Richard and Carl told jokes.

Albany

HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY

— Kathy Bennett, Corres. —

It is a beautiful morning—let's hope we can have a few decent days for haying.

Sarah and John Grover of East Stoneham were recent callers at the home of Alice and Arthur Wardwell.

Saturday evening Howard and Barbara Inman called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Merrill and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens.

Recent callers at the home of Hugh and Edith Stearns and Ruth Bumpus were Barb Inman, Terry and Dareth Howard, Mike and June Inman and children, Dean Peaco, Jerry Silver, Mr. and Mrs. B. Wentworth, Cathy Inman, Joe Kempton, New Sharon, and Frank and Jan Morrill.

Sunday the Inman family had a cookout at their camp lot. Those attending were Barb and Howard Inman, Renita Inman, Cathy and Andy Inman, Mike and June Inman and children, and Frank, Terry and Dareth Howard.

Visitors at the Barton Farm last week were Betty and George Skoglund of Denmark, and Jan and Judith Jacobs of Machias.

K-D's Acres was relatively quiet last week. We spent most of the week working in the gardens.

Tuesday evening Dick and I and Franklin Barton called on my folks in Bryant Pond. We had to check on the cattle and take over a few hives of bees.

Friday evening we called on Mr. and Mrs. Gus McAllister in North Waterford.

Saturday evening the Bennetts and Jim Barton went hornpouting.

Sunday supper guests were Mr. and Mrs. LaForest Twitchell.

School is out—oh, dear! Have a good week.

WEST BETHEL UNION CHURCH

Rev. Rust and family moved to Andover last Friday. Telephone numbers are: Parsonage, 392-2091, and Church, 392-4678.

Parish days beginning this week will be on Wednesday and Thursday.

Softball practice Wednesday, 5 p. m., at the ball field. Game on June 30.

Congratulations to Arthur Gilbert our newest "Bethel Citizen of the Year," awarded on June 16.

BAR MANAGER — Linda Zale has accepted the position of Bar Manager at the Bethel Inn and Country Club, it has been announced by Ray Moran, General Manager.

An employee at the Inn since September of 1980, Linda assumed this position in March of this year. Her responsibilities include the scheduling and supervision of her staff, the entertainment schedule, and purchasing for the Inn.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jorgen Olson of Bethel, Linda resides with her husband, Eric, and two children, Terri and Eva, in Albany.

West Bethel

— Fannie Cummings, Corres. —

Ann Mason, Harriet Stowell and Cathryn Lovejoy were at Joan Scaro's, Bethel Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Francisco have found a rent and moved in to Bethel, as their house has been sold to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lovejoy.

Saturday Shane and Angela Lovejoy spent the day with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Lovejoy, as their mother, Tyrene, has pneumonia.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Ruby Rolfe and Mrs. Grace Day in the loss of their brother and husband, Charlie Day.

Friday night the Cummings and Lovejoys were in Rumford for dinner and a visit with the Ray West family.

Some folks are finding wild strawberries in spite of the late freeze.

Several fathers took advantage of the free Fathers Day Breakfast Sunday morning at the Pleasant Valley Bible Church. The ladies serving the ham and eggs, pancakes, home made donuts, coffee and juice were Davene Mitchell, Marion Griffeth, Harriet Stowell, Mable Walker and Cathryn Lovejoy. The speaker was Larry Strout. The new kitchen was christened.

There was quite a gathering at C. R. Lovejoys for a Fathers Day steak dinner. Joining the family was Rick Whitney of Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell were at Mr. and Mrs. Gary Inman's in West Paris for Fathers day supper.

Robert Bucker, Bethel, called on Allanson Cummings on Monday.

North East Lovell

— Pauline Smith, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Christopher of Cushman Pond Road have returned home from their trip to Connecticut and to the World's Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fox and son visited his mother on Father's Day, also Neal and Linda Allen and Scot were there and helped with the dinner.

Donald Knights, Carolyn, and Kathy of Oxford also Jack and Beverly Bassett and Marlin brought the supper and had a Father's Day get-together.

Our minister is away. Joe Moody of Frontier Camp had the service. Several of our summer guests were there. Mary Wilson, our organist, was in the Bridgton hospital for tests. Mary Lotton played the organ. No choir.

Carrol and John Plamn made us a nice call this week. How much I thought of John's mother, Lottie, who taught for years in the Lovell schools, then superintendent for years.

Albert Fox called on his Aunt Polly and repaired the washing machine.

Iva Fox attended Vernal Fox's graduation in Fryeburg this week.

Cindy Fox, our Avon lady, was here this week.

Our grandson, Tim Knights, graduated from Oxford Hills this week. We attended Wednesday night for awards and Thursday for the graduation. Tim won the Forestry Award.

Marcel Longpre's daughter Audra, graduated from the 8th grade in Fryeburg.

East Bethel

— Mrs. David Foster, Corres. —

Sympathy is extended to the family of Harris Tyler on their recent loss.

Mrs. Floribel Haines, Mrs. Maud Danforth, Mrs. Peggy Coolidge and Mrs. Agnes Haines went with the Senior Citizens on a visit to the State House and Blaine Mansion in Augusta, Wednesday. Miss Karen Brown was their guide through the buildings.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keith of Livermore; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Coolidge of Quincy, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Angevine of Northwest Bethel were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Almon Coolidge. Henry Leavett is feeling better, but still in the Rumford Community Hospital.

An item of interest as it doesn't happen often—Mr. and Mrs. Almon Coolidge had four granddaughters, Penny Bean, Denise Coolidge, Betty Ann Coolidge and Tina Coolidge, and four grand-nieces, Rosalie Coolidge, Teresa Coolidge, Laura and Lisa Cox, who all went on the school bus this past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith of Newry; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kimball and family, Mr. and Mrs. Andre Bernier and family, visited Mr. and Mrs. Chester Kimball Sunday in honor of Fathers' Day. Mrs. Geneva Pelletier called her father from Manchester, N. H.

Mrs. Celia Lake of Henniker, N. H., was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings from Thursday to Sunday.

The food sale for the benefit of the East Bethel Church cleared $95; not as much as last year but a great help. Many thanks to all who donated to the sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kimball visited Walter Perry; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Piper and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Boyd in Mechanic Falls, Sunday. On the way home they visited Mr. and Mrs. Glen Young in Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stearns of Rumford Corner and Mrs. Myra Foster visited Mrs. Clara Hamlin in the Northern Cumberland Memorial Hospital in Bridgton, Friday. Mrs. Hamlin is in the hospital for tests and treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cox and daughters, Laura and Lisa; Mrs. Linda Fraser and Mary; Mrs. Myra Foster and Albert Foster, attended the going away party for David Tyler at the home of Mrs. Josephine Tyler in Dixfield Sunday. David Tyler will be entering the army on Thursday, June 24.

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HARRIS E. TYLER

Harris E. Tyler of East Bethel died Friday night, June 18, 1982, at the Ledgeview nursing home, where he had been a patient since 1980.

He was born in Mason on Jan. 24, 1917, the son of Benjamin and Gladys Bartlett Tyler. He received his education in the Bethel schools and served in the United States Army in World War II in the 43rd Infantry Division. He was a self-employed logger and truck driver. He was a member of Jackson-Silver Post #68 of Locke Mills. Mr. Tyler was married to the former Opal E. Dodge.

Survivors include his widow of East Bethel; two sons, Kendall of Lewiston and Quentin of East Bethel; three daughters, Mrs. Medora Buker and Mrs. Verlie Mason, both of East Bethel, and Mrs. Eslyn Gonzales of Oxford; two brothers, Leonard of East Bethel and Richard of Rumford Center; two sisters, Mrs. Claire Piawlock of East Bethel and Mrs. Edith Smith of Northwest Bethel; and 12 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Andrews funeral home, South Woodstock, with Rodney Hanscom, pastor of the Newry Community Church, officiating. Bearers were members of the family. Interment was at the East Bethel Cemetery.

MOUNT ABRAM FISH & GAME ASSOCIATION HOLDS MEETING IN BETHEL

Mount Abram Fish and Game Association met Thursday, June 17, at the Bethel United Methodist Church. Following a pot luck supper, the business meeting was conducted by Norman Dock, president. Secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and approved and a number of business matters were discussed. There was an excellent attendance including several visitors. Slides of Alaska, with narration by Bob Elliot, were enjoyed.

Upton

Congratulations to our young people of Upton, that graduated last week from Telstar.

Upton has beautiful and precious young people. It's too bad the townspeople are so unconcerned, and could care less about each other, that we can't get together and honor these graduates in some way, where honor is due.

The word of God says—Be ye doers of the word and not hearers only deceiving your own selves. James 1-22.

And faith without works is dead.

Therefore to him that knoweth to do good, and doeth it not, to him it is sin.

God bless you young graduates.

A Neighbor

BILL WOOD TO TEACH U.M. SUMMER COURSE HERE

Bill Wood (aka, "Franklin, the Good Food Friend"), a familiar figure to Maine school children, will present a University of Maine, Rumford/Mexico Center course for current and future teachers and teacher aides in Bethel, beginning June 28.

Creative Dramatics in the Classroom will share Bill's experiences and methods for enlivening elementary subjects through creative theatrical expression and participatory dramatic presentations.

As "Franklin, the Good Food Friend," Bill has drawn nationwide attention for his entertaining ways of teaching healthful eating habits to children through a variety of characterizations, hand puppetry, song and story. He has also conducted workshops and classes for elementary teachers sharing techniques of live arts performances to encourage creative and fresh approaches to classroom teaching.

Theater—204—Creative Dramatics in the Classroom offers three University of Maine credits. The class will meet Monday through Friday from 9:00 to 11:30 a. m. for three weeks beginning June 28 in the Public Room of the Moses Mason House in Bethel.

For information or course registration, drop in at the UMF, Rumford/Mexico Center on Parker Street in Mexico, or call 369-0058.

The Week in Washington

by Sen. George J. Mitchell

Mail Fraud

Last year, a woman wrote to my Bangor office, asking for help in tracking down an award she had purchased through the mails. The award was called the "Distinguished American Award," and had supposedly been presented posthumously to her husband, by an outfit calling itself the "Bureau of Deceased Americans."

Upon receiving a letter from the "Bureau", the woman sent $30.80 to the bureau to purchase a copy of the award. Although her check was cashed, no award was received.

This woman was the unfortunate victim of mail fraud, which is rampant in this country and which, most unfortunately, generally targets unsuspecting senior citizens.

The Select Committee on Aging in the House of Representatives held a series of hearings on mail fraud, which revealed that the elderly are being increasing victimizd by mail order promoters who attempt to sell land, phony business opportunities, and medication that claims to cure cancer, arthritis and other ailments. The hearings revealed that senior citizens have lost literally millions of dollars to these fraudulent mail order schemes. Once the money is sent, it is extremely difficult, and sometimes impossible, to track the persons behind the scheme, and either bring them to justice or recover the money.

The Senate recently passed a bill to strengthen the authority of the U. S. Postal Service to crack down on mail fraud. The Postal Service, which through its Inspection Service has done an excellent job in stopping mail fraud, currently lacks subpoena power, which seriously hampers the Postal Service's ability to investigate such cases.

The bill grants that power to the U.S. Postal Service. It will permit the Postal Service to move more quickly and effectively against mail fraud cases.

This bill will be of obvious benefit to elderly victims of mail fraud who constitute fully 60% of all victims of such schemes.

MDOT AWARDS MAINTENANCE PAVING CONTRACTS

The Maine Department of Transportation has awarded contracts for highway maintenance paving this summer on 466 miles of roadway in 11 geographic areas of the state.

The awards follow a June 2 bid opening in Augusta. Contractors were invited to bid on supplying and placing of pavement in one or more of the 11 areas, with MDOT to be responsible for transportation of the paving material from paving plant to job site.

Areas and towns in Oxford County where paving is planned are. Rumford, Milton, Bethel, Woodstock, Fryeburg, Stow, Sweden and Lovell—9.5 miles of Route 232 between U. S. Route 2 in Rumford and Route 26 in Woodstock; 4.4 miles of Andover Road between Rumford Center and North Rumford; 13.5 miles of Route 113 between Route 302 in Fryeburg and the Maine-New Hampshire border in Stow, and 11.8 miles of Route 93 and Knight's Hill road between the Bridgton town line and Lovell village. These projects were awarded to Bridge Construction Corp. of Augusta in the amount of $389,002.50.

Schedules for project completion will be determined by MDOT and the contractor.

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that other alternatives migh be utilized until a grader is more affordable. "In other terms, a homeowner with a $30,000 house would pay about $90 of additional taxes.

The Budget Committee, in its first meeting on the grader subject, June 9, recommended that if the Town voted to buy a new gnader, the cost of the machine should be undertaken in one tax year to avoid high interest loans. However, with a quorum present at its June 17 meeting, the Committee deadlocked on whether to support the Board's recommendation for purchasing a new grader and will forward no recommendation to the voters at the Special Town Meeting.

Previous year's attempts to arrive at a course of action were inconclusive. On April 26, 1982, the Board of Selectmen decided to pursue a competitive bid process and directed the Town Manager to analyze all data pertinent to the motor grader since 1965 and return with findings of fact and recommendations.

The first area addressed was whether the Town needed a motor grader capability to efficiently and effectively accomplish winter and summer road programs on its 60 miles of roads (72 miles after July 1). It was determined that the grader's average use per year (639 hours) was about one half the use (reported to be 1,300 hours per year) realized by heavy machine contractors used by the State. It was also concluded that the following required tasks could not be done, or done as well, by other machines in our inventory: Primary advantage of a grader lies in its precision and ability to simultaneously move and level/remove dirt or snow; other than the 4-wheel drive truck, the grader is the only machine capable of moving high snow drifts from areas such as the West Bethel Flat Road.

The data was then used to determine what capability a grader must have to service Bethel's needs. It was concluded that a grader needed to have features such as horsepower, machine weight, etc., similar to the existing machine. This data was converted into bid specfications sent on May 20 to reputable regional dealers. This prevented the introduction of unrealistic recommendations and simultaneously opened options involving the existing grader.

Next, in light of its being an alternative, the status of the present grader was examined. It was found that since 1977, $8,452.72 was spent on breakdown corrective maintenance. Since May of 1979, there has been every 3.6 months a failure of sufficient magnitude to prevent the grader from performing its operational mission. Nothing is stated or implied here that the present grader has reached the end of the line and could not continue to give service. While agreement exists that is generally unwise to put too much money into such an old machine, no specific standards exist to forecast when the threshold of uselessness will be passed.

Cost effectiveness was also considered. For a new machine costing $80,000 with a service life of 20 years, the machine would have to "earn" for the Town $4,000 a year. Using the prevailing grader rental rate established by the Board each year, the present machine "saved" no less than $5,000 a year since it was purchased. This means the Town did not have to hire a machine from a contractor, assuming that one could be found that charges the same rate ($20 per hour) as the Town charges itself. (Average national rental rate is $51 per hour without operator and attachments.)

At the May 17 Board meeting, the Selectmen reviewed the findings of fact, adopted a set of motor grader specifications, and authorized the mailing of requests for proposals to regional establishments. Proposals were requested on new and used machines that most nearly met the specifications, lease-purchase options and offers or plans that the specific bidder might suggest within the spirit of the specifications. In addition, an estimate of $32,000 was obtained on the cost that could be incurred if it were decided to completely recondition the present grader.

Most agree that the Town needs a road grader capability, but the question is whether we can afford a new replacement. "Each of us must vote on the issue according to our conscience and belief," said Town Manager Bill Judson. "It is our hope that all the seats of the Telstar Regional High School Auditorium are filled with voters on June 29 at 7:30 p. m., so that it will not be said that a small group carried such an important issue one way or the other," he said. "Comments received from out-of-town observers indicate that Bethel citizens' conduct in this matter has been thoroughly competent and professional. Some suggestions offered are in place," said Judson, "some will be acted on soon, while others need further study; but none have been ignored."

The Board of Selectmen will hold their next meeting on Monday, June 28, in the meeting room of the Bethel Savings Bank.

BORN

In Norway, June 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gundersen (Robin Dooen) of Bethel, a daughter, Erica Leigh.

MARRIED

In Bethel, June 19, by Rev. W. Mark Kafkas of Gorham, Andrew S. Pease of Gorham and Miss Manya Dombkowski of Bethel.

DIED

In West Paris, June 18, Harris E. Tyler of East Bethel, aged 65 years.

MEN'S SOFTBALL LEAGUE STANDINGS AS OF JUNE 21

Rowe Hill, 5-1; The Inn, 3-1; Bethel Merchants, 4-2; Bethel Loggers, 4-3; Piston-Bulleys, 4-3; Telstar, 3-3; Bryant Pond, 3-4; Greenwood, 3-4; Andover Loggers, 2-5; Bears, 1-6.

YOUTH SUMMER BASKETBALL TO START JUNE 28

Youth Summer Basketball will begin Monday, June 28, at 9:00 at the Telstar Gymnasium. Persons may still register the first day. The program is open to boys and girls, 4th - 9th grades. They will meet 9:00 - 12:00 each week day for four weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew S. Pease

PEASE - DOMBKOWSKI

In a mid-afternoon ceremony on Saturday, June 19, at the West Parish Congregational Church, Bethel, Miss Manya Dombkowski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Dombkowski, Bethel, became the bride of Andrew S. Pease, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pease, Gorham, Maine. The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. W. Mark Kafkas of Gorham.

The bride wore a full length princess style gown of organza and Chantilly lace, with a deep lace flounced hem, lace bodice and fitted sleeves with crochet beading, and an attached chapel train. She carried a bouquet of white roses, carnations and baby's breath.

Miss Priscilla Webster was maid of honor, wearing a full length mauve gown, with sleeves and yokes of sheer nylon lace. The bridal attendants were Mrs. Ellen Durgin and Mrs. Sharon Beck, sisters of the bride; Paula Mills and Catherine Sasso, friends of the bride. They wore mauve colored gowns with a lace flounced neckline and a fitted empire bodice with bow trim, and carried bouquets of white carnations, baby's breath and ribbons to match their gowns.

The groom's attendants were, best man, William Morgner; and and ushers, Barry Saunders, Richard Hawkes, Roger Brown, and Eric Dombkowski.

Wedding selections were sung by Ronald Pease, father of the groom.

Following the ceremony, the reception was held at Positively Maine Street, South Paris. Kathryn Pyle was in charge of the guest book.

Mrs. Pease is a 1982 graduate of the University of Maine at Orono, where she received her degree in elementary education. Mr. Pease is a 1982 graduate of the University of Maine at Orono with a B.A. degree in finance and accounting. He has accepted a position with Peat, Marwick and Mitchell and Co., Portland.

Following a wedding trip to Canada, the couple will reside in Portland.

COMMUNICATION SKILLS GRADUATE COURSE TO BE OFFERED—UMA, L/A CENTER

Developing effective communication skills will be the topic of a graduate course offered at the University of Maine at Augusta, Lewiston-Auburn Center, this summer.

The course, Human Interaction Skills, will give the student both theoretical and practical understanding of various facets of human interaction. Among the areas to be covered will be: interpersonal effectiveness, problem solving methodologies, conflict resolution strategies, understanding group dynamics and the leadership role.

William Redfield, the instructor, edrned a Masters in Social Welfare from Boston University and a Masters in Divinity from the Episcopal Divinity School. He is a part-time instructor with the University of Southern Maine at Gorham and is in private practice, specializing in marriage and family counseling.

The seven week course will begin on Wednesday, July 7. Registration is now underway. For further information please call 784-7366 or (Toll Free) 1-800-452-1947, Ext. 300.

SPECIAL FOR TOTS AT SUMMER PLAYGROUND

Friday, June 25, is all set for the Summer Playground's annual event: Doll Carriage and Bike Parade at 11 a. m. This event is planned for children from 3 to 6 years old, to acquaint them with the playground at CPS. Those entering bring their decorated bike or doll carriage; prizes will be given to all who enter. Rain date: Monday, June 28.

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Fruit Salad Bowl—Vanilla Ice Cream or cottage cheese, granola $3.50

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Bacon, Lettuce and Tomato $2.45
Crabmeat Salad $4.95
Ham & Swiss $2.85
Hamburger $2.45
Cheeseburger $2.75

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